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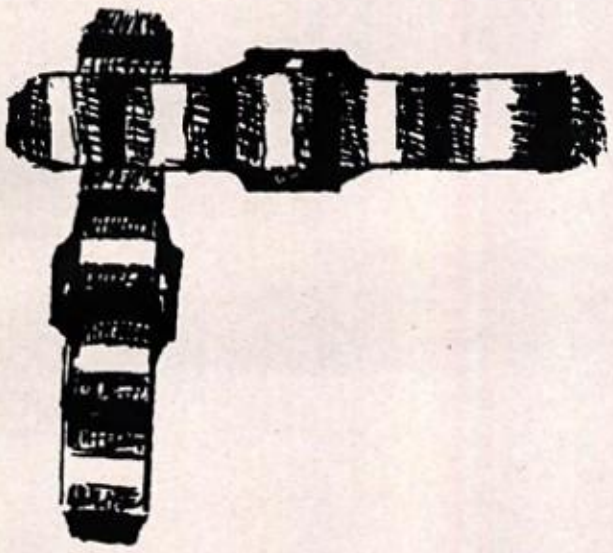

ALL COGS MESH FOR PROGRESS

Man is the machinery which makes the world go 'round. Although we, the students of Rushville High School, are only tiny cogs in this great world and are not mighty in number, the combined efforts of all are necessary if progress is to be made.

With perfect harmony and cooperation, the wheels of our school have meshed to fulfill that destiny to which we have aspired.

Our aims, ideals, and accomplishments are recorded in this Holcad, which we introduce to its readers. It is our sincere hope that the machinery of the future will run more smoothly because of the inspiration enclosed between the covers of this yearbook.

No; this assemblage is not attending a funeral even if the facial expressions are doleful. The pictures on these two pages are those of a typical Convocation audience and register various reactions

to the occasion.
The goggle eyes in general
belong to the teachers.
Some of the inspid looks
belong to juniors and seniors.

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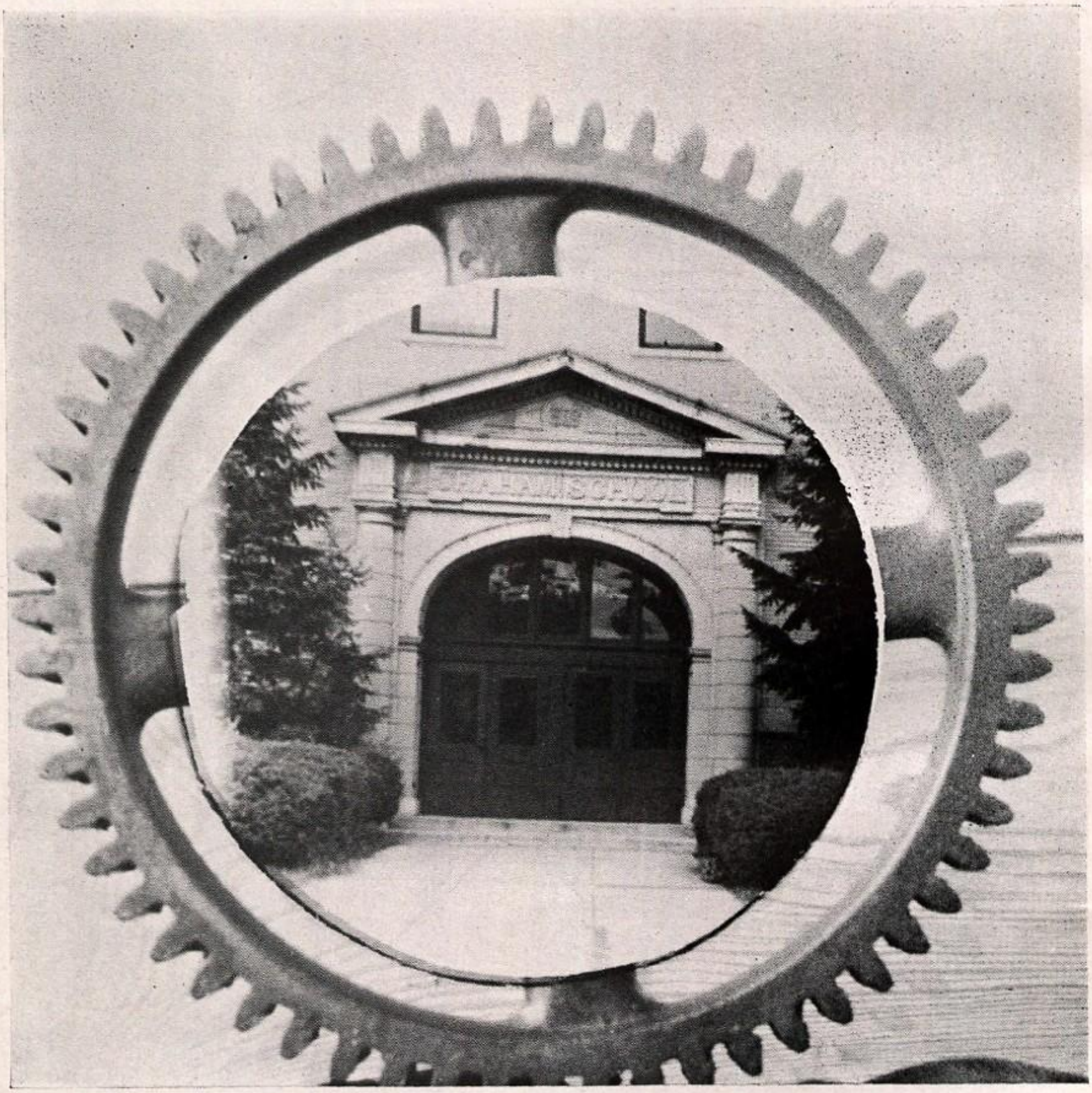
"LEST WE FORGET"

Anything worth having is worth fighting for, and certainly life, home, and country are worth every effort required for their preservation; the boys and girls and men and women who fought so nobly in World War II demonstrated that fact.

Many of those fighters in all fields, cogs that go to make up the universe which is in a constant struggle toward progress, were former students or graduates of Rushville High School. It is to them as the exponents of peaceful progress that the seniors of nineteen hundred forty-eight dedicate this book.



ADMINISTRATION

Superintendent J. Everett Light

Principal C. J. Sellars

Schools are reflections of the community of which they are a part. The Rushville schools are democratically controlled by the citizens of Rushville who appoint from their ranks a school board in which is vested the power and authority to establish the operating policies of the local educational system. Board members are selected for their integrity and their interests in school and community advancement. In turn, such members appoint the superintendent of schools and authorize him to carry out their policies which have been established in his presence. In a like manner, the principal executes policies established by both board and superintendent. Rushville is particularly blessed with able administrators endowed not only with excellent business ability but also with the vision necessary for long range planning.

In the picture below are the members of the school board in one of their business meetings. Reading left to right the members are: Donald Renegar, treasurer; Isom Stevens, president; Mrs. Frank Green, secretary; and J. Everett Light, superintendent.

FACULTY

Margaret C. Ball:
Western College
A. B. Indiana University

Beaulah Bishop:
A. B. Indiana University

John Bremer:
A. B. Ball State
University of Chicago

Ruth Cartmel:
A. B. Ball State

Earl Chamberlain:
B. S., M. S. Indiana University

Louis C. Darst:
A. B. Ball State
M. S. Indiana University

Louis Edward Gohring:
A. B. Earlham College

James Gridley:
B. S. Indiana University

Freda Johnting:
High School Secretary

Maude Jones:
A.B., A.M. Indiana University
A. M. Ohio University

Phyllis C. Joyce:
B. S. Butler University
M. A. Columbia University

Madeline Knight:
A.B., A.M. Indiana University

Lois Lichtsinn:
A. B. Butler University

Florence Madden:
A. B., M. A. Indiana University
Library Science

Edith Meal Kuhn:
B. S. Indiana University

Mildred Myers:
B. S. Indiana University

Donald E. Myers:
B. S. Indiana State

Betty Newkirk:
B. S. Ball State

Earnest E. Privett:
B. S. Purdue University

Virginia Pearl Rice:
A. B. Butler University

Ben O. Rifner:
B. S. Ball State
M. A. Ohio State University

Charles E. Roberts:
B. S., M. S. Indiana State

Russell Schermer:
B. S. Central Normal
M. S. Butler University

Prin. C. J. Sellars:
B. S. Purdue University
A. M. Butler University

Kathleen Snoddy:
Receptionist

Stanley Stevenson:
B. S. Indiana University

Mildred Stewart:
Private Secretary to
the Superintendent and
School Board

Earnest R. Well:
B. S. Indiana State

SENIOR OFFICERS

A. Snoddy, Treasurer
J. Bradley, Secretary
P. VanOsdol, President
L. Rose, Vice-President

Phil G. VanOsdol, president of the senior class, is known among his schoolmates as an allround good fellow. He's full of fun but his training as an Eagle Scout makes him a pretty responsible youngster. His musical talent runs to the trumpet and voice. Perhaps he's just a chip off the old block, for his dad is noted for the same musical accomplishments.

Vice-president Lowell C. Rose is a little boy of six feet four inches and weighs around 220 pounds. He is a physicist of note and has challenged some of the laws of physics. The mere fact that to date all he has done is challenge doesn't worry either him or his teacher, Mr. Roberts.

Secretary Joanne Bradley is one of the "upper-crust," scholastically speaking, for she is in the upper ten per cent of her class. She is good natured and unassuming; in fact, her philosophy of life seems to be "live and let live."

Treasurer Aileen Snoddy is also of the "uppercrust." She is not only a good student in the curricular fields, but her ranking is high in the extras. In the field of music, she's especially talented and is a valued member of the band, Orpheus Club, and Twelve Girls.

The seniors and their sponsor have been fortunate to have had such a capable group as the class officers, and much of the credit for a smooth running organization should go to those four leaders.

Joan Alexander

Girl Reserve (1-4), Lang. Club (1-2-4), Rushlite Staff (1-2), Twelve Girls (3-4), Choir (3-4), Orpheus Club (4), Holcad Staff (4).

Beverly Bair

Girl Reserve (1-4), Stenographers' Club (3-4).

Jack Barlow

Hi-Y (1-4), Yell Leader (2).

Mary Benning

Girl Reserve (1-4), Rushlite Staff (2-4), Choir (3-4), Holcad Staff (4).

Leonard Booth

Hi-Y (1-4).

Joanne Bradley

Girl Reserve (1-4), Lang. Club (1-2), Secy. (2), Convocation Committee (3), B. P. W. Guest (4), Senior Class Secy., Holcad Staff (4), Honor Student.

June Browning

G.A.L. (1), Stenographers' Club (4).

Jo Ellen Byrne

Language Club (1-2), Rushlite (2-3-4), Editor (4), Stenographers' Club (3), Choir (3-4), B.P.W. Guest (4), Holcad Staff (4), Solo and Ensemble contest (4), Honor Student.

Nancy Campbell

Girl Reserve (1-4), Language Club (1-4), Band (1-4), Roll and Point Chairman (3-4), Orchestra (1-2), Orpheus' Club (3-4), Choir (3-4), Twelve Girls (4), Honor Student.

Bonnie Cauble

Girl Reserve (3-4), Lang. Club (1-2), Debate (3-4), Orpheus Club (4), Rushlite (1-3-4), G.A.L. (1), Choir (3-4), Holcad Staff (4), Publicity Chairman, Holcad.

Evelyn Clark

Girl Reserve (1-4), Ring Chairman (3), Language Club (1-2), Orpheus Club (1-4), President (4), Orchestra (1-2), Band (2-4), Librarian, Captain (3-4), Twelve Girls Accompanist (2-4), B. P. W. Guest (4), Holcad Staff (4), Solo and Ensemble Contest (1-4).

Mary Cook

Girl Reserve (1-4), Language Club (1-2), Stenographers' Club (3-4), Secy. (3) Choir (3), Honor Student.

Donna Denton

Girl Reserve (1-4), Stenographers' Club (3-4), G. A. L. (1), Choir (1), Rushlite (1), Holcad Staff (4).

Francis Duffy

(No Activities.)

Bill Dunn

Hi-Y (3-4), Track (2-3), Basketball (1).

David Durbin

Language Club (1-2), Vice - President (2), Speech Class Play, "Brother Goose" (2), Boosters' Club (2), Debate (2), Honor Student.

Pat Dyar

Thomas Carr Howe High School (1-3), Girls' Club (1-2), Glee Club (3), Musical May Festival (2-3), G.A.A. (1), Yell Leader (3), At Rushville High School: Girl Reserve (4), Holcad Staff (4).

Imogene Evans

Girl Reserve (1-4), Assistant Social Chr. (4), Charm Club (1-2), G.A.L. (1), Stenographers' Club (3-4), Choir (3), Holcad Staff (4), Won fifth in Red Cross Poster Contest (2).

Wyoma Fanter

Girl Reserve (4), Language Club (3), withdrawn.

Betty Fisher

Girl Reserve (1-4), Service Chairman (3), Vice - president (4), Rushlite (1-4), Lang. Club (1), Holcad Staff (4).

Rebecca Gibbs

Girl Reserve (1-4), Language Club (1), Convocation Committee (1), Stenographers' Club (3), Librarian (3-4), Rushlite (4), Holcad Staff (4), withdrawn.

Robert Griffin

F.F.A. (1-4), Hi-Y (3-4), District Judging Contest (1-4), Won trip to Purdue (3-4).

Marthena Grinstead

Girl Reserve (1-4), Band (2-4), Rushlite (1-4), Orpheus Club (2-4), Secy. and Treas. (4), Stenographers' Club (3-4), Choir (4), Solo and Ensemble contest (3-4).

James Hendrix

Hi-Y Club (2-4), Choir (2-3).

Louis Heeb

Hi-Y Club (1-4), President (4), Lang. Club (1-2), Junior Class President (3), Basketball (1-4), Track (3-4), Football (3-4), Band (1-4), "R" Club (4), Holcad Staff (4), Sports, Junior Rotarian (4), Solo and Ensemble Contest (3-4), Honor Student.

Helen Hinshaw

Girl Reserve (1-4), President (4), Lang. Club (1-2), Rushlite (1-2), Twelve Girls (2), Stenographers' Club (4), Holcad (3-4), Asst. Editor (3), Choir (4), B.P.W. Guest (4), Honor Student.

Virginia Hileman

(No Activities.)

Janice Jones

G.A.L. (1-2).

Eula Gosser

Girl Reserve (2-4), Stenographers' Club (3-3).

Edith Kennedy

Girl Reserve (1-4), Stenographers' Club (3-4), Program Chairman (4), Rushlite (4).

Pat Shafer

Lois Kennedy
Girl Reserves (1-4), Stenographers' Club (3-4), G.A.L. (1), Choir (3), Rushlite (4).

John Ketchum
Hi-Y (4), In Service.

Jack Lakin
Hi-Y Club (1-4), "R" Club (2-4), Vice-president (3), President (4), Letters in football, basketball, and track, Junior Rotarian (2).

Thomas Loyd
Withdrawn

Janice Malson
Girl Reserve (1-4), Orchestra (1), G.A.L. (1), Debate (2).

Lowell Mathews
Hi-Y Club (1-4), Rushlite Staff (2-4).

Warren Mauzy
Hi-Y Club (1-4), Treasurer (4), Band (1-4), Orpheus Club (2-4), Choir (4), Concert (4), Holcad Staff (4), Speech Class Play "Brother Goose" (2), Band Award (1), Solo and Ensemble Contest (3-4), Honor Student.

William Maze
F.F.A. (3-4), Secretary (4), Dairy Judging (3).

David Moran
F. F. A. (1-4).

Marjorie McAllister
Choir (3-4),

Maxine McAllister
Choir (3-4).

Mack McCarty
Hi-Y Club (3-4), Basketball (1-4), Sweater (4), Track (1-4), Sweater (2), Football (2-4), "R" Club (2-4), Holcad Staff (4), Convocation Committee (3).

John McMahan
Hi-Y Club (1-4), Lang. Club (1).

Donald Neal
Hi-Y (1-4), Orpheus Club (1-4), Band (1-4), Orchestra (2-4), Junior Class Treas., Holcad (4), Junior Rotarian (4), Rushlite (3-4), Football (2-4), Sweater and Capt. (4), Solo and Ensemble Contest (1-4).

Jeanine H. Pearsey
Convocation Committee (1), Girl Reserve (1-4), Asst. Social Chairman, Rushlite (1-4), Boosters' Club (2), Twelve Girls (2-4), Lang. Club (1), Holcad (4), Band (3-4), Orpheus (3-4), Solo and Ensemble Contest (2-4).

Wanda Perkins
Rushlite (1-3-4), Girl Reserve (4), Holcad (4).

Leo Ponsler
Basketball (1 - 4), Sweater (3), Track (3), Junior Class Vice-president.

Jack Pickett
Hi-Y Club (1-4)

Barbara Poston
Girl Reserve (1-4), Rushlite (2-4), Band (1-3), Orchestra (1), Twelve Girls (3-4), Choir (4), Holcad (4), Solo and Ensemble Contest (2-4).

Donald Price
Entered from Tech of Indianapolis, junior year, Basketball (3-4), Holcad (4).

Donna Rayborn
Entered as a senior from Milroy, Sunshine Society (1).

Marjorie Riebsomer
Girl Reserve (1-4), Treasurer (4), Stenographers' Club (3-4), Choir (3-4), Rushlite (4), Holcad (4), Orpheus (4), Solo and Ensemble Contest (4).

Joy Read
Entered from North Vernon in senior year. Band (1-4), Sunshine Society (1-3), Brass Sextet (2), Choir (4), Solo Contest (3-4), Honor Student.

Lowell Rose
Band (1-4), Basketball (1), Rushville Woodworkers Corp., Holcad Editor (4), Senior Class Vice - president, Honor Student.

Joan Ruby
Girl Reserve (1-4), Charm Club (1), Stenographers' Club (3-4), Social Chairman (4), Choir (3-4), Holcad Staff (4).

Richard Ruby
Band (2-3), Drum Major, Choir (3-4), Track.

Jean Scott
Hi-Y Club (1-4), "R" Club (2-4), Rushlite Staff (3-4), Basketball (1-4), Varsity (3-4), Football (3-4), Varsity (3-4), Track (1), Rushville Jr. Chemical Corp. (2).

Charles Sharpe
Hi-Y (1-4), Language Club (1-3), Orpheus Club (1-4), Band (1-4), Orchestra (1-2), Rushlite (1-3), Choir (3-4), Debate (2), Holcad (4), Speech Class Play (2), Solo and Ensemble Contest (1-4), Honor Student.

David Singleton
Hi-Y Club (1-4), Lang. Club (1), Rushville Chemical Corp. (2), Holcad Editor (3-4), Honor Student.

Charles Sizemore
Basketball League (2), Choir (3), Swimming Club (1).

Dwayne Smith

Orchestra (3), Band (3), Camera Club (1-2), Boys' Pep Club (3), Mummers' Club (3), Play "January Thaw" (3), Football (4), Choir (4), Holcad Asst. Photographer (4).

Aileen Snoddy

Girl Reserve (1-4), Asst. Service Chr. (3), Lang. Club (1-2), Orpheus Club (2-4), Secretary and Treasurer (3), Rushlite (2-4), Twelve Girls (3-4), Senior Class Treas., Orchestra (1), Holcad Staff (4), Band (1-4), Asst. Librarian (4), Solo and Ensemble Contest (3-4), Honor Student.

Norma Sorrell

Sunshine Club (1), Girl Reserve (2-4), G.A.L. (2), Stenographers' Club (3-4), Choir (3), Holcad (4).

Maurice Spilman

Hi-Y Club (1-4), Band (3-4), Rushlite (2-4), Language Club (1).

Kathleen Stark

Girl Reserve (2-4), Stenographers' Club (3-4), Treasurer (4), Honor Student.

John Taylor

Hi-Y Club (1-4), Sgt.-at-Arms (3), Secy. (4), Language Club (3-4), Vice - president (4), Rushlite (-4), Circulation Manager (4), Band (2-4), Asst. Librarian (3), Orpheus Club (3-4), Track (1), Rushville Chemical Corp. (2), Poster Contest (2), Holcad Staff Artist (4).

Martha Thorpe

Language Club (1-2), G.A.L. (2), Stenographers' Club (3-4), President (4), Junior Class Secy. (3), Holcad Staff (4), Honor Student.

Norma VanBibber

Girl Reserves (1-4), Secy. (4), Lang. Club (1-2), Rushlite (3-4), Choir (3-4), Holcad Staff (4), Honor Student.

Phil VanOsdol

Hi-Y Club (1-4), Band (1-4), Orchestra (1-2), Rushlite Staff (1-4), Track (3), Junior Rotarian (4), Senior Class President, Holcad Staff (4).

Jane Urbach

Language Club (1), Girl Reserves (1-4), Program Chairman (4), Rushlite Staff (1-4), Holcad Staff (4).

Bob Wainwright

Hi-Y Club (4), Rushlite Staff (1).

Imogene Webb

Withdrawn

Viola Whipple

Girl Reserve (3-4), Stenographers' Club (3-4).

BUILDERS FOR TOMORROW

No voice was heard with a challenge!
Life was very much the same;
As four years ago we seniors,
Took under-classmen for our name.

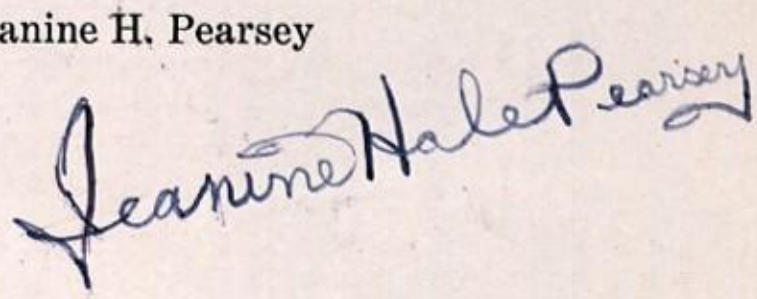
Still blind to our duties and relations to life,
We entered our sophomore year;
We went blithely on with little foresight,
Content with the now and the here.

In our junior year, the future loomed
Straight ahead, uncertain, unsure;
Suddenly we knew that beyond our ken
Lay new fields for our senior year.

As seniors, we saw life before us,
And in the silence stilled
Rang forth a voice commanding,
"Here is the timber; let us build!"

And we've heeded that voice in this, our last year,
Our timber we've planed and we've milled;
Our foundations are laid on the rock of our work,
We are ready and eager to build!

—Jeanine H. Pearsey



JUNIOR OFFICERS

1st Row: J. Rosfeld

2nd Row: B. Pearsey, D. Curtis, P. Cranford

President Dick Curtis, Vice-president Bud Pearsey, Secretary Joan Rosfeld, and Treasurer Paul Cranford have done a nice job in steering the junior class in the right direction in the school year '47 and '48. The role of being good juniors is always a difficult one, for they are just like the younger child who is too old to do childish things and too young to be granted the equal privileges with his older brother or sister. The juniors' hearts are right, but their conception of their own rights and privileges is usually warped.

The prospective seniors of '49 are not great in number and like the bantam chicken feel that they must make much noise to be noticed. They have some outstanding members, and no doubt their success in the school year of '48 and '49 will be great.

JUNIORS

L. Lichtsinn (sponsor)
L. Bundrant
J. Clarkson
R. Conners
J. Coon
N. Cox

P. Cranford
B. Crapo
L. Cull
D. Curtis
B. Darnell
B. Davison

A. Dusing
D. Dyar
P. McDaniel
J. Felts
B. Glover
B. Harpring

B. Hogsett
T. Hood
E. Jackson
J. Kiplinger
P. Kalp
J. Garau

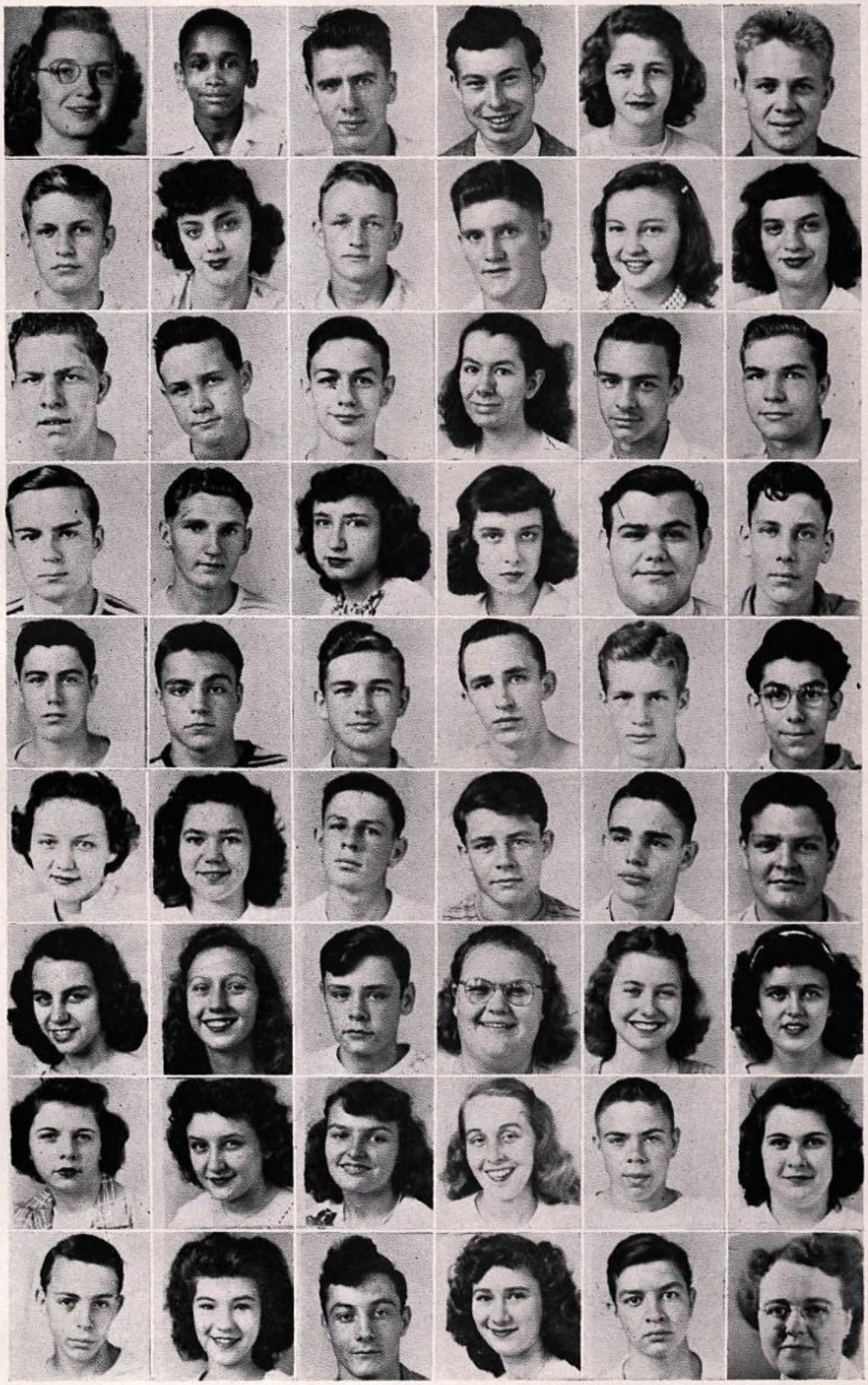
B. Marine
D. Marsh
V. Mauzy
C. Meckes
D. Miller
T. Meo

B. Mohr
C. Nienstedt
B. Orme
B. Pearsey
D. Pile
D. Rehme

J. Rosfeld
J. Ross
J. Ruhlman
J. Sailor
W. Sizemore
J. Towne

B. VanSickle
P. Fredrick
P. Walker
M. Wilson
B. Worland
M. Wylie

B. Jordan
R. Catlin (W)
P. Yazel
B. Jaggers
T. Horrall
M. Myers (sponsor)



SOPHOMORES

R. Abrams
G. Alexander
T. Alexander
J. A. Alexander

J. Beard
K. Bruns
R. Byrne

J. Benning
J. Campbell
W. Cameron
J. Carpenter

B. Clark
M. Clark
N. Colestock

B. Cox
H. Cook
J. Cross
R. Curtis

C. Dearinger
M. Duffy
R. Durbin

B. Edwards
R. Elliott
V. Glover
E. Hannefey

N. Hauk
J. Hendrix
J. Hileman

M. Huffman
N. Jackson
E. Jones
M. Joyce

A. Kephart
J. Kelly
J. Kiplinger

S. Kirkpatrick
G. Cline
D. Liggett
F. Maple

J. Marine
R. Marshall
J. Messer

W. Meyer
N. Miller
A. Moorman
C. Monroe

F. McCarty
W. McCreary
D. Neal

B. Nyssen
D. Osborn
J. Owens
L. Parker

B. Pea
O. Pickett
C. Ray

G. Reed
P. Rosfeld
K. Self
K. Sexton

N. Singleton
M. Smiley
B. Sorrell

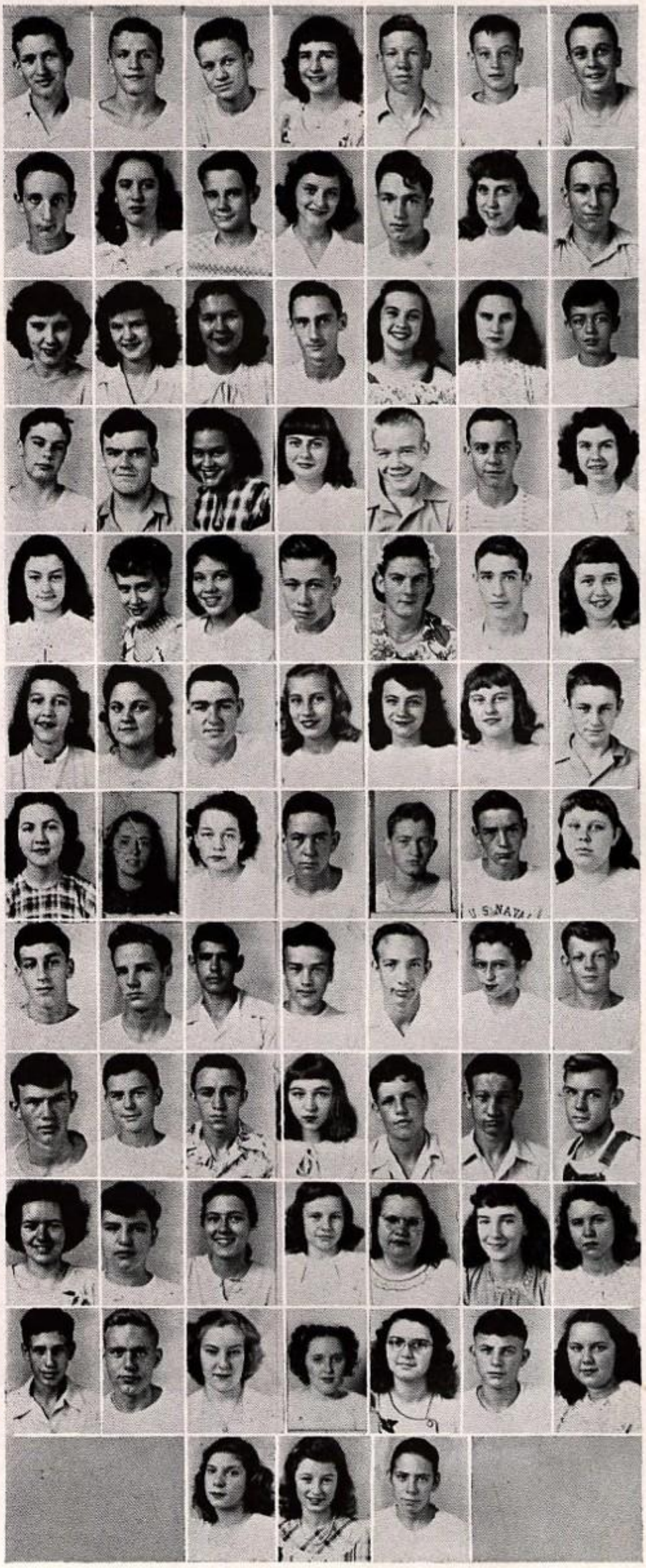
M. Stark
E. Stamm
S. Stevens
J. Sorrell

M. Terrell
D. Vest
N. Wainwright

K. Waits
J. Wagner
K. Wagner
B. Walker

F. Watson
B. Webb
J. A. Weidner

B. Winkle
N. Wright
T. Worland



R. Adams
R. Alexander
S. Alexander
R. Amick
J. Bailey
D. Bartlett
D. Brown
A. Bobrink

P. Carr
P. Clark
T. Cartmel
R. Conners
B. Conway
V. Coons
P. Cox
C. Cravens

J. Cross
M. Crowder
E. Driscoll
D. Davison
L. Dunn
P. Ellingwood
F. McDonald
T. Elmore

W. Fanter
A. Greer
W. Gallimore
E. Garau
D. Graham
F. Hardin
N. Harpring
H. Harper

N. Harpring
R. Herbert
J. Hufferd
D. Herbert
S. Henley
R. Houston
F. Helme
M. Haley

B. Jackson
B. Jaggers
J. Jones
M. Jordan
M. Kaster
R. Leisure
R. Lee
P. Lee

P. Lynch
R. Manning
F. Marlatt
D. Matlock
L. Moore
H. Moran
B. Mosburg
P. Moster

C. Mueller
J. McBride
J. McCain
P. McDonald
P. McCully
M. Newbold
J. Nigh
C. Owens

M. Orme
J. Poulos
R. Pickett
N. Poe
A. Redden
D. Schmall
W. Self
R. Sharpe

P. Sizemore
J. Smith
P. Smith
A. Southerland
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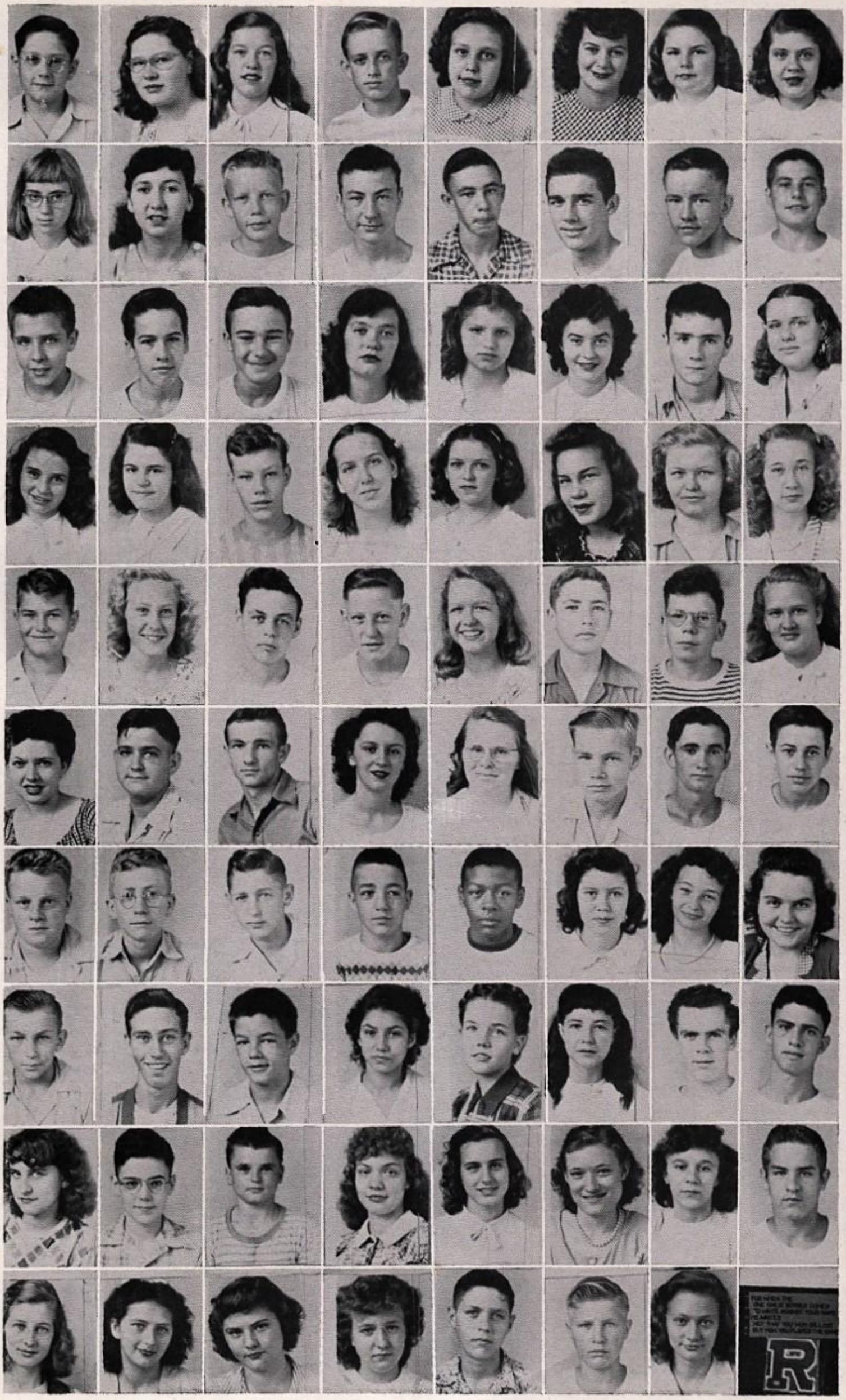
K. Webb
F. Wilson



JUNIOR HIGH PRINCIPAL

The man that directs the activities and thinking of the upstairs students is Louis Darst. He accepted the principalship of junior high at the beginning of the '47-'48 year. He has been very efficient in the management of his new post, and law and order are the rule of the day with him.

Row 1. C. Jones, K. Clark, J. Ross, R. Wooldridge, N. Frederick, M. Warrick, J. Winkler, W. Dehoney, W. McDonald, J. West, G. Brown

Row 2. J. Bradley, T. Pea, J. Kirk, O. Christopher, C. Newbold, J. Whipple, D. Alexander, W. Kennedy, W. Stevens, P. Carter, R. Bradley

Row 3. L. Hall, D. Moore, J. Hatfield, J. Jones, J. Jaggers, J. Smith, P. Newman, J. Stephens, M. Ruhlman, R. Gard, P. Alexander, D. Snoddy, S. Jaus, S. Riley.

Row 4. P. Butts, P. McCarty, R. Gabbert, L. Jaggers, L. McMahan, M. A. Jones, G. Gallimore, J. Ketchum, J. Davis, G. Towne, R. Hungerford, J. Cox, D. Pile, N. Dawson, M. Shaeffer, M. Ellermore, P. Johnson, C. Collier

Row 5. G. Helme, P. Warrick, M. Newton, M. Maple, G. Guffin, P. Mohr, R. Pollak, D. Safewright, B. Marshall, B. Stout, J. Moore, R. Butts, D. Miller.

JUNIOR HIGH

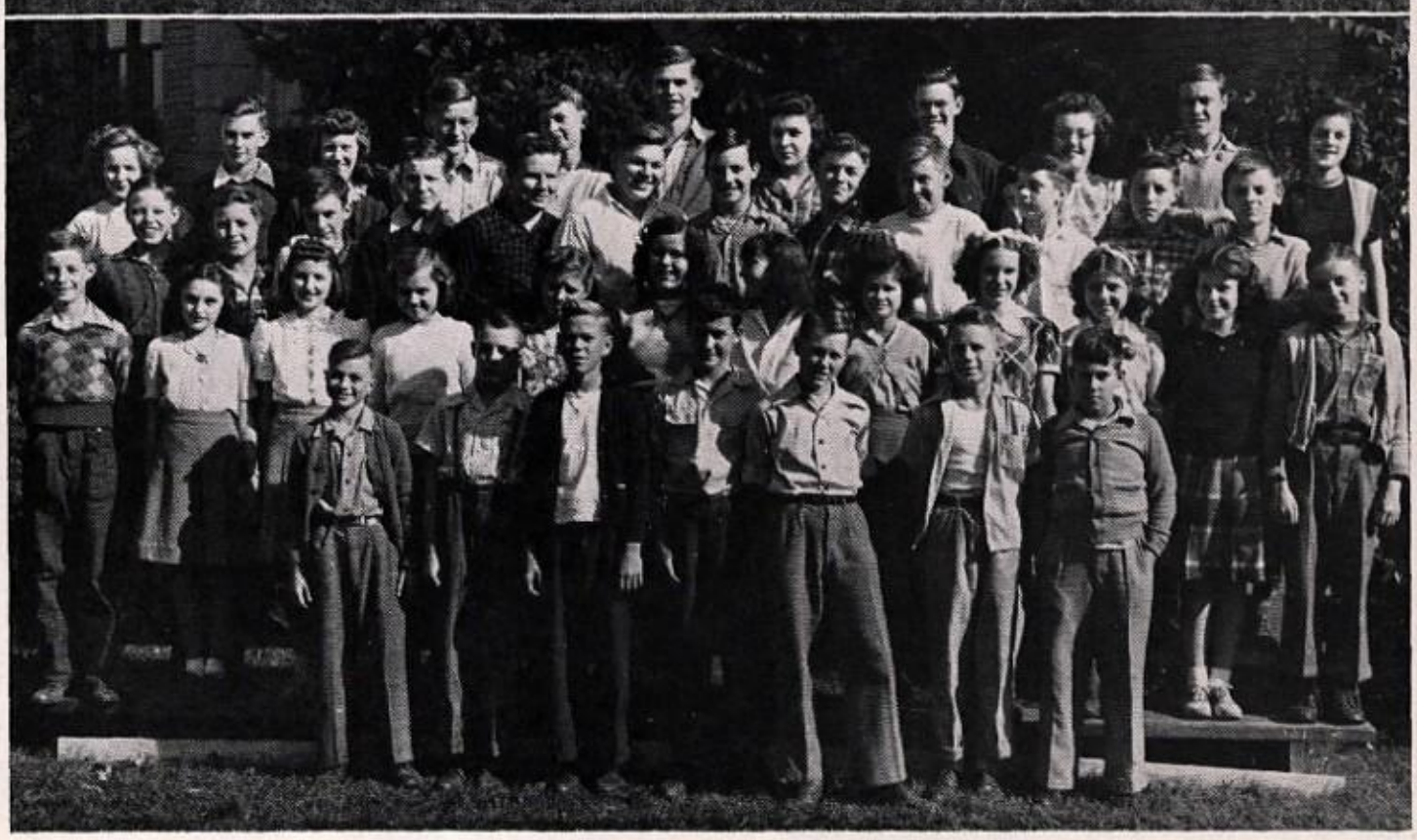
These are the on-coming graduates who look with an eye to the future. In a few years they will be among the main cogs of Rushville High. They are preparing for the greater responsibility which they will encounter on entering high school. Although the junior high youngsters are mischievous at times, their thoughts about the future have a serious note about them. The class of '48 wishes all the junior high students good luck in obtaining their highest goals.

V. Moore, I. Proffit, B. Unthank, R. Palmer, S. Wainwright.

D. May, R. Young, B. J. Browning, J. Stevens, J. Beckner, L. Hogle, L. Poe, M. Readle, D. Wylie, C. K. Conover, M. Ratekin, N. Hushour.

D. Garrison, A. K. Waggoner, B. Benson, E. A. Petrie, J. Cruse, J. Elliott, T. Bradley, P. Barnett, D. Moster, S. Adams, N. Howell, H. Griffin.

R. Abrams, C. Gregar, H. Yazel, B. Jones, H. Neinstedt, C. Bates, W. Barnard, B. Copple, B. Jones, F. Jewell, K. Southerland.



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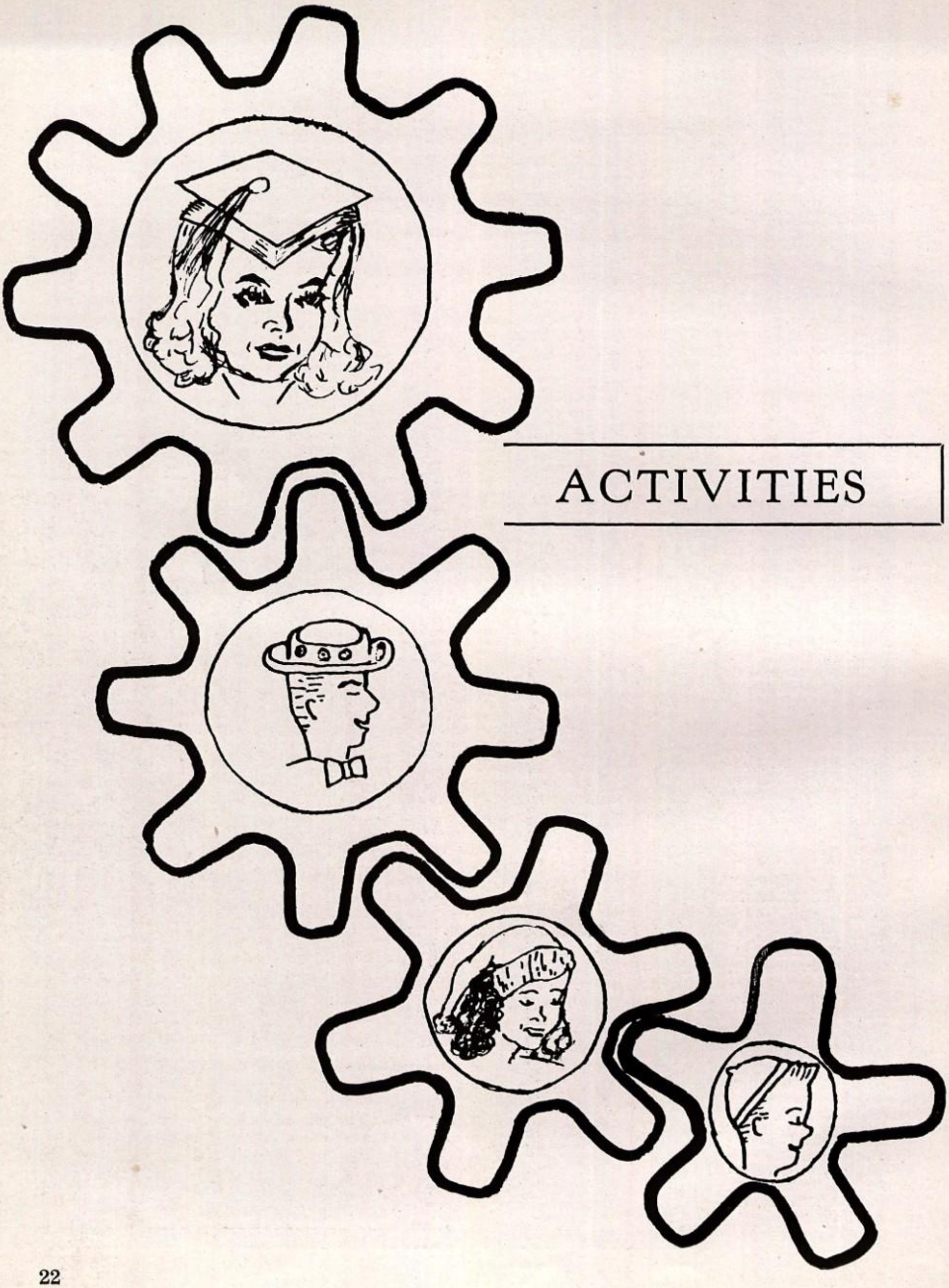
I. Wright, M. Marine, F. Harrison, D. Hileman, A. Hatfield, G. Towne, E. Farley, P. Terrell, C. Anderson, S. Voiles, G. Denton, G. Moore.

S. Brown, C. Amick, B. Hall, G. Beard, W. Trowbridge, J. Benedict, F. Dishong, J. Alsop, J. Harper, L. Walker, P. Sorrell, J. Higgins.

H. McFarland, R. Shepard, C. Smiley, R. Safewright, S. Glover, J. Harrelson, R. Gabbert, R. Harlow, B. Rankin, B. Keith, T. Gilpin.



ACTIVITIES

CONVOCATION COMMITTEE

"What's convo today?" was the question asked every Wednesday after announcements had come out stating, "Convocation today at 1:10. Be in your roll seats."

Convocations were planned by the committee whose members were chosen by their respective classes. Some very interesting programs were planned which included some paid programs and some programs sponsored by the different organizations. Mr. Earl Chamberlain was the chairman of the committee.

B. Browning, J. Pearsey, J. Kiplinger, S. Henley, J. Ross.
Mr. Chamberlain, M. McCarty.

B. Mosburg, A. Bobrink, B. Walker, N. Wainwright, K. Wagner, C. Mueller, F. Helme, B. Jordan, A. Snoddy, J. Pearsey, O. L. Pickett.

S. Alexander, M. J. Clark, W. Meyers, P. Sizemore, F. Wilson, P. McCully, A. Waggoner, F. Wilson, J. Rosfeld, E. Jackson, B. Gibbs, N. Van Bibber, E. Clark, J. Coon, J. E. Byrne, B. VanSickle, Mrs. Knight.

J. Ross, W. Sizemore, A. Greer, S. Henley, D. Denton, N. Poston, D. Neal, S. Stevens, M. Grinstead, W. Perkins, J. Urbach, J. Towne, M. L. Jordan, L. Kennedy, P. VanOsdol.

B. Wainwright, E. Kennedy, R. M. Marshall, T. Cartmel, M. Cook, K. Sexton, B. Davison, B. Cauble, N. Sorrell, M. Benning, M. Riebsomer, J. Taylor.

V. Mauzy, D. Smith, B. Conners, N. Harpring, J. Carpenter, J. Ruhlman, B. Fisher, B. Mohr, J. Kiplinger, B. Poston, I. Webb, L. Mathews.

J. Urbach, N. VanBibber, E. Clark, N. Campbell, I. Evans, M. Reibsomer, J. Hinshaw, P. Dyar.

J. Pearsey, A. Snoddy, M. Benning, M. Wilson, J. Alexander, M. Cook, D. Denton, B. Gibbs, B. Poston, M. Grinstead, Miss Madden.

J. Taylor, W. Perkins, B. Cauble, B. Fisher, I. Webb, N. Sorrell, L. Kennedy, J. Ruby, M. Thorp, J. Bradley.

M. McCarty, W. Mauzy, D. Singleton, L. Rose, D. Pile, D. Neal, P. Sharpe.

E. Clark, D. Meyers.

J. Alexander, B. Darnell, B. Poston, N. Campbell, M. Wilson, S. Henley, S. Dearinger, J. A. Alexander, E. Jones, R. Marshall, J. Pearsey, A. Snoddy.

RUSHLITE

Under the expert leadership of Jo Ellen Byrne, editor, and Barbara VanSickle, assistant, the '47 - '48 Rushlite had a very successful year. To facilitate the publication, the staff was divided into two distinct groups that alternately published the bi-weekly publication.

Mrs. Madeline Gullion Knight was the Rushlite faculty advisor.

HOLCAD

"Holcad pictures of the greatest cogs next Thursday! Be sure to look your best," flashes the announcement. There were few activities for the seniors that day even though the schedule ran as usual.

The seniors of '48 through hard work and earnest efforts have presented Rushville High School students and the community with a book of memories to look back upon as they recall those good old days.

David Singleton and Lowell Rose, editors of the Holcad, with a staff of co-operative, hard working seniors, and their sponsor Miss Florence Madden, have worked hard to make this annual a success.

TWELVE GIRLS

The nucleus for the Twelve Girls was formed in 1943 by Mr. Donald E. Myers and at that time contained only six girls. Because it represented outstanding talent, the organization soon doubled its number, the members being chosen through tryouts for finding the best voices.

The talented group is one of the most popular organizations in the school. They have performed on several occasions. Some of their performances were gratis as are they all when done for the school; but some were done for pay, and the money earned was used to defray legitimate expenses. If there is a surplus, it goes into the Orpheus Club treasury.

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

Plowing the ground, planting the corn, and pitching the hay are only a few of the things that the F. F. A. are doing and will be doing in the years to come.

This club is made up entirely of boys who are interested in agriculture. With their capable sponsor, Mr. E. E. Privett, the officers—president, Bill Matlock; vice-president, Bob Griffin; secretary, Bill Maze; and treasurer, Paul Rosfeld—are keeping things rolling along.

STENOGRAPHERS' CLUB

All over the country in every office can be found these "gals" sitting at a typewriter with shorthand notes at their finger tips, and they are working very hard. But their works are not in vain, for they are learning by experience that they may be big cogs for great wheels of civilization in the future.

While in school, there were twenty-five members who carried on the activities of the Stenographers' Club which met once a month for business; four other meetings, two each semester, were social parties. Dancing, games, and of course refreshments typified these parties.

To help the Stenogs along their way were the officers; Martha Thorp, president; Pat Gordon, vice-president; Barbara Mohr, secretary; Kathleen Stark, treasurer; Joan Ruby, social chairman; and Edith Kennedy, program chairman. The sponsors were Mrs. Ruth Cartmel and Mr. Russell Schermer.

LANGUAGE CLUB

Language is an important implement if the idea of one world is to be an accomplished fact. The Language Club of Rushville High School offers students the opportunity to further their knowledge of foreign languages and to study the life of foreigners.

The officers for this year were: Elizabeth Hannefey, president; Jane Kiplinger, vice-president; Bob Curtis, secretary; and Bob Durbin, treasurer.

The club meetings were held on Tuesday every two weeks, the fifth period.

The outstanding events of each year are the Christmas Party and the celebration of Pan American Day on April 14.

Sponsors of the Language Club were Miss Lois Lichtsinn and Miss Virginia Pearl Rice.

C. Mueller, T. Worland, F. Marlatt, W. McCreary, P. Rosfeld, K. Webb, J. Messer, D. Herbert, B. Pickett.

B. Griffin, B. Matlock, M. Smiley, B. Harpring, D. Moran, B. Maze, D. Liggett, B. Webb.

Mr. Privett.

I. Felts, B. Bair, V. Whipple, J. Coon, J. Rosfeld, E. Jackson, K. Stark, I. Evans, J. Browning.

M. Riebsomer, D. Denton, C. Nienstedt, E. Kennedy, B. Jaggers, E. Gosser, M. Thorpe, M. Grinstead, V. Hileman.

H. Hinshaw, M. Cook, P. Gordon, N. Sorrell, I. Webb, L. Kennedy, J. Ruby, B. Davison, B. Mohr.

Miss Rice, M. J. Clark, W. Fanter, P. Ellingwood, N. Campbell, R. Leisure, J. Cross, B. Durbin, O. L. Pickett, Miss Lichtsinn.

P. McCully, S. Henley, M. L. Jordan, J. Kiplinger, N. Wainwright, S. Kirkpatrick, V. Mosburg, A. Southerland, S. Alexander, A. Bobrink, W. Sizemore.

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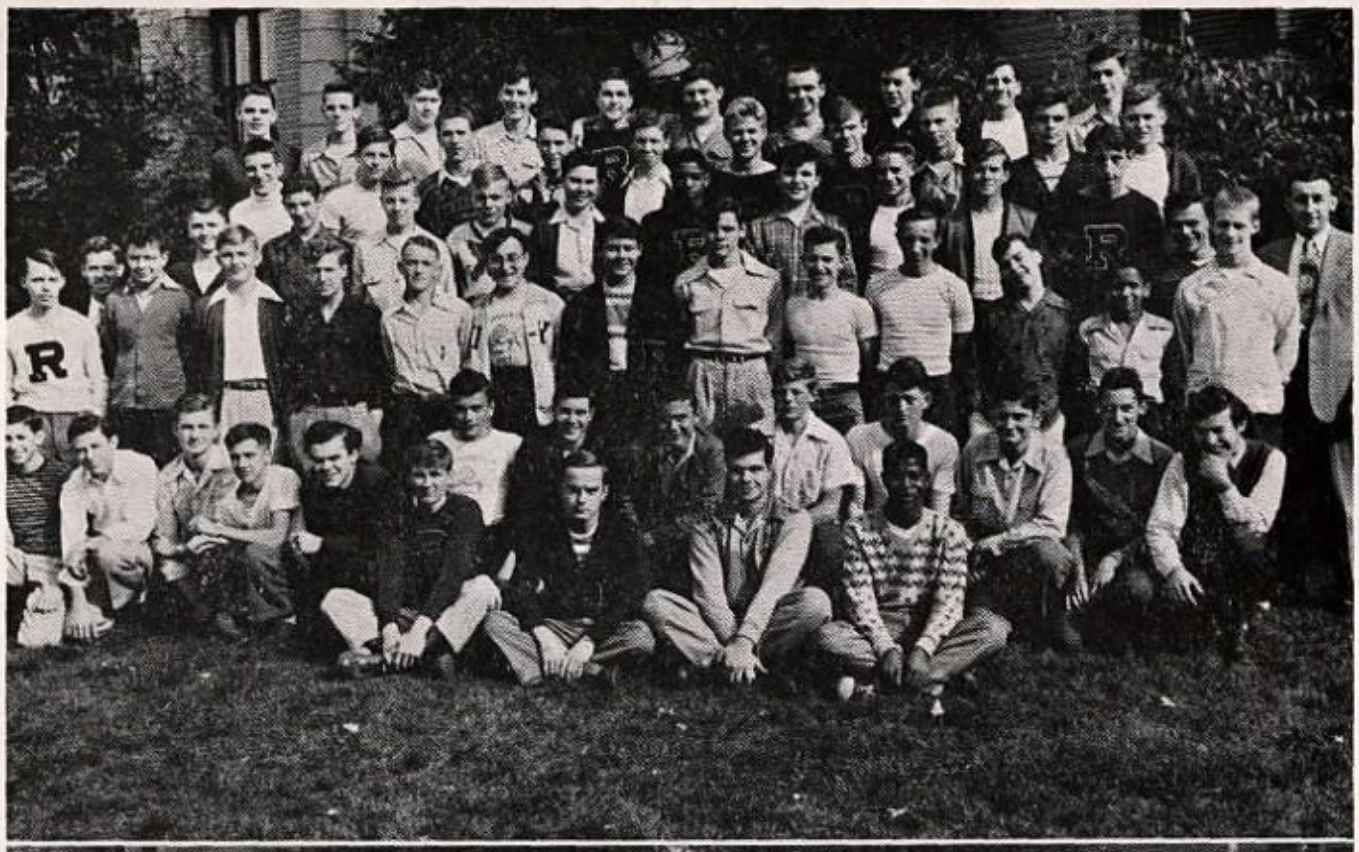


D. Pile, T. Larsen, D. Singleton, J. Garau, J. Lakin, D. Curtis, J. Hendrix, P. VanOsdol, M. McCarty, P. McDaniel.

B. Matlock, N. Singleton, J. Clarkson, B. Dunn, J. Beard, N. Cox, E. Reed, D. Neal, D. Marsh, C. Sharpe.

G. Alexander, J. Kelly, J. McMahan, J. Wagner, L. Mathews, J. Scott, F. Stamm, W. Cameron, L. Booth, J. Benning.

B. Jordan, Mr. Roberts, T. Horrall, P. Cranford, J. Ketchum, L. Cull, B. Pickett, B. Pearsey, J. Ruhlman, B. Wainwright, B. Pea, B. Edwards, L. Bundrant, J. Barlow, D. Miller, Mr. Darst.

K. Waits, B. Orme, V. Mauzy, M. Crowder, J. Nigh, L. Parker, B. Marine, B. Griffin, C. Ray, F. McCarty, M. Spilman, B. Curtis, R. Conners.

L. Heeb, B. Hogsett, W. Mauzy, J. Taylor.

C. Nienstedt, W. Perkins, J. Sailor, E. Kennedy, I. Webb, N. Sorrell, J. Pearsey, M. Wiley, J. Ross, B. Mohr, B. Fisher, J. Bradley.

P. Dyar, B. Jaggers, P. Fredrick, W. Fanter, V. Whipple, L. Kennedy, P. Gordon, J. Ruby, K. Stark, D. Denton, M. Cook.

M. Grinstead, I. Evans, J. Felts, N. Campbell, J. Read, M. Riebsomer, B. Davison, H. Hinshaw, J. Alexander, A. Snoddy.

Miss Jones, J. Coon, B. VanSickle, E. Jackson, E. Clark, N. VanBibber, J. French, M. Wilson, M. Benning, J. Urbach.

B. Cauble, B. Poston, J. Kiplinger, J. Towne, B. Gibbs.

D. Davison, B. Cox, S. Kirkpatrick, R. Marshall, G. Cline, J. Carpenter, P. Clark, J. Sorrell, N. Miller, N. Poston, D. Schmall, E. Garau, J. Weidner, F. Watson.

E. Jones, F. Maple, W. Myers, S. Stevens, B. Winkle, D. Neal, K. Sexton, J. A. Alexander, H. Cook, M. Terrell, P. Moster, N. Poe.

F. Wilson, P. McCully, P. Ellingwood, S. Alexander, B. Crapo, S. Henley, M. Jordan, D. Brown, E. Hannefey, J. Kiplinger, A. Southerland, J. Cross.

J. Fileman, M. Clark, M. Huffman, N. Wright, B. Mosburg, J. Marine, P. Sizemore, M. Stark, I. J. Northam, C. Dearinger, J. Campbell, Mrs. Joyce.

A. Bobrink, A. Greer, O. Pickett, N. Wainwright, B. Walker, D. Bartlett, W. Fanter, M. Orme, P. Walker, J. Bailey, D. Graham, J. Smith.

HI-Y

"To create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community the high standards of Christian character" are the familiar words of the code of the Hi-Y members of Rushville High School.

This year the club was lead by President Louis Heeb; vice-president, Bill Hogsett; secretary, John Taylor; treasurer, Warren Mauzy; and chaplain, Dick Miller. Their sponsors were Mr. Louis Darst and Mr. Charles Roberts.

The State Older Boys' Conference was held in Indianapolis at the Broadway Methodist Church on December 5-6. Those representing the club were Louis Heeb, Bill Hogsett, Warren Mauzy, John Taylor, Mack McCarty, Jim Kelly, Jack Barlow, and Leonard Booth, Jr.

The Hi-Y with the Y-Teens planned and made school parties, Christmas Kiddies' Party, and mixers wonderful successes.

Y-TEENS

"As a Girl Reserve, I will be Gracious in manner, impartial in judgment . . ." is repeated by every youthful organization affiliated with the Y. W. C. A. whether it calls itself Girl Reserve, Y-Teens, or some other name. The local club has now adopted the official name of Y.-Teen. Regardless of its name it is one of the teeth in the gears of Rushville that spells community service. One of the most outstanding events of the year is the annual Mother-Daughter banquet which is held each spring. The new officers are then installed for the coming year.

The officers who helped President Helen Ann Hinshaw in keeping her girls reserved were: vice-president, Betty Fisher; secretary, Norma VanBibber; treasurer, Marjorie Riebsomer; ring chairman, Barbara Davison; program chairman, Jane Urbach; service chairman, Jeanette Ross; and social chairman, Mary Ann Benning. Their sponsors were Miss Maude Jones and Mrs. Phyllis Joyce.

ORPHEUS CLUB

"Watch out! Here comes the Orpheus Club program chairman, and this is your month for a solo," is a moot warning to some hapless member each meeting.

This organization is made up of students of senior high school who belong to some musical organization in the school. Its purpose is to further the musical interest throughout the school.

The officers for this year were: president, Evelyn Clark; vice-president, Donald Neal; secretary-treasurer, Marthena Grinstead; program chairman, Paul McDaniel. Mr. Donald E. Myers is the sponsor of the club, and it is definitely one of the important cogs of the extras that make up Rushville's high school life.

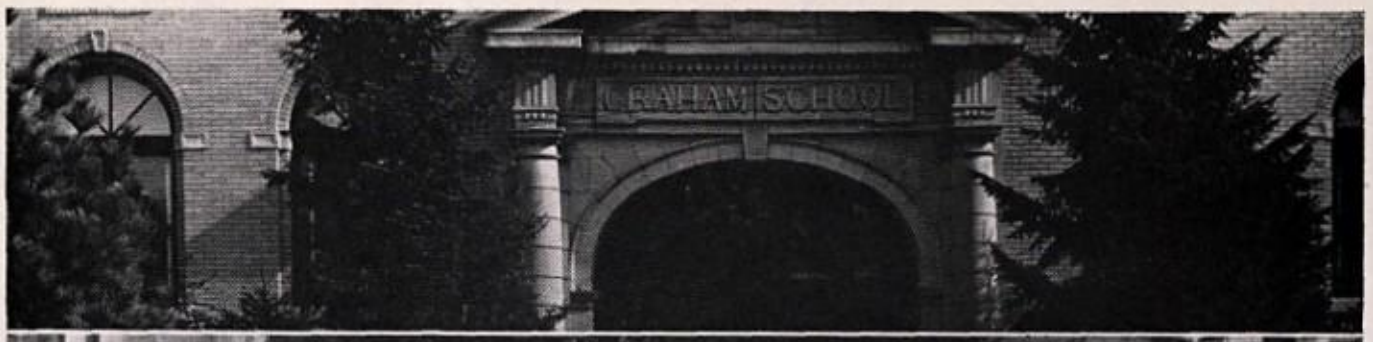
BAND

"Clear the floor 'cause here they come!" Yes, the drums are rolling, and it's time for the good old R. H .S. musicians to make their way to the stage to help pep up the Lions so that they can win that game.

This year the band was led by Paul McDaniel, drum major; Evelyn Clark and Donald Neal, captains; Pat Sharpe, librarian; Aileen Snoddy, assistant librarian; and Mr. Donald E. Myers, director.

CHOIR

Who has been doing all that singing that has made all the wheels of the school organization vibrate with pleasure? Why, of course, the High School Choir! Those fifty-two boys and girls met with their director, Donald E. Myers, three times weekly to enjoy their time working and singing. Everyone has heard the fine talents of these people at convocation programs, baccalaureate services, and Christmas programs during the school year.



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E. Petry, B. Browning, K. Wagner, N. Howell, A. Greer, J. Poulos, W. Mauzy, J. Heeb, D. Neal, P. VanOsdol, J. Clarkson, D. Rehme, D. Moster, C. Amick, B. Pickett, F. Helme, R. M. Marshall, D. Neal, F. Maple, P. Poston.

S. Wright, L. Hogle, G. Helme, R. Young, Mr. Myers, P. McDaniels, F. Wilson, J. Wilson, R. Conners, L. Rose, J. Wagner, R. Conners, J. Ross, J. Taylor, B. Hogsett, L. Bundrant, E. Moore, A. K. Waggoner, M. L. Jordan, K. Clark, J. Campbell, D. Marsh.

E. Jones, A. Redden, E. Clark, D. Matlock, B. Edwards, A. Ellison, N. VanBibber, J. Towne, A. Moorman, J. Byrne, M. Riebsomer.

H. Harper, P. Sizemore, J. Coon, V. Glover, J. McCain, P. Sharpe, E. Driscoll, E. Jackson, N. Campbell, S. Alexander, J. Read, D. Myers.

J. Ruby, M. Harper, J. Alexander, E. Stamm, P. McDaniel, B. Glover, B. Mohr, B. Davison, B. Cauble, D. Schmall.

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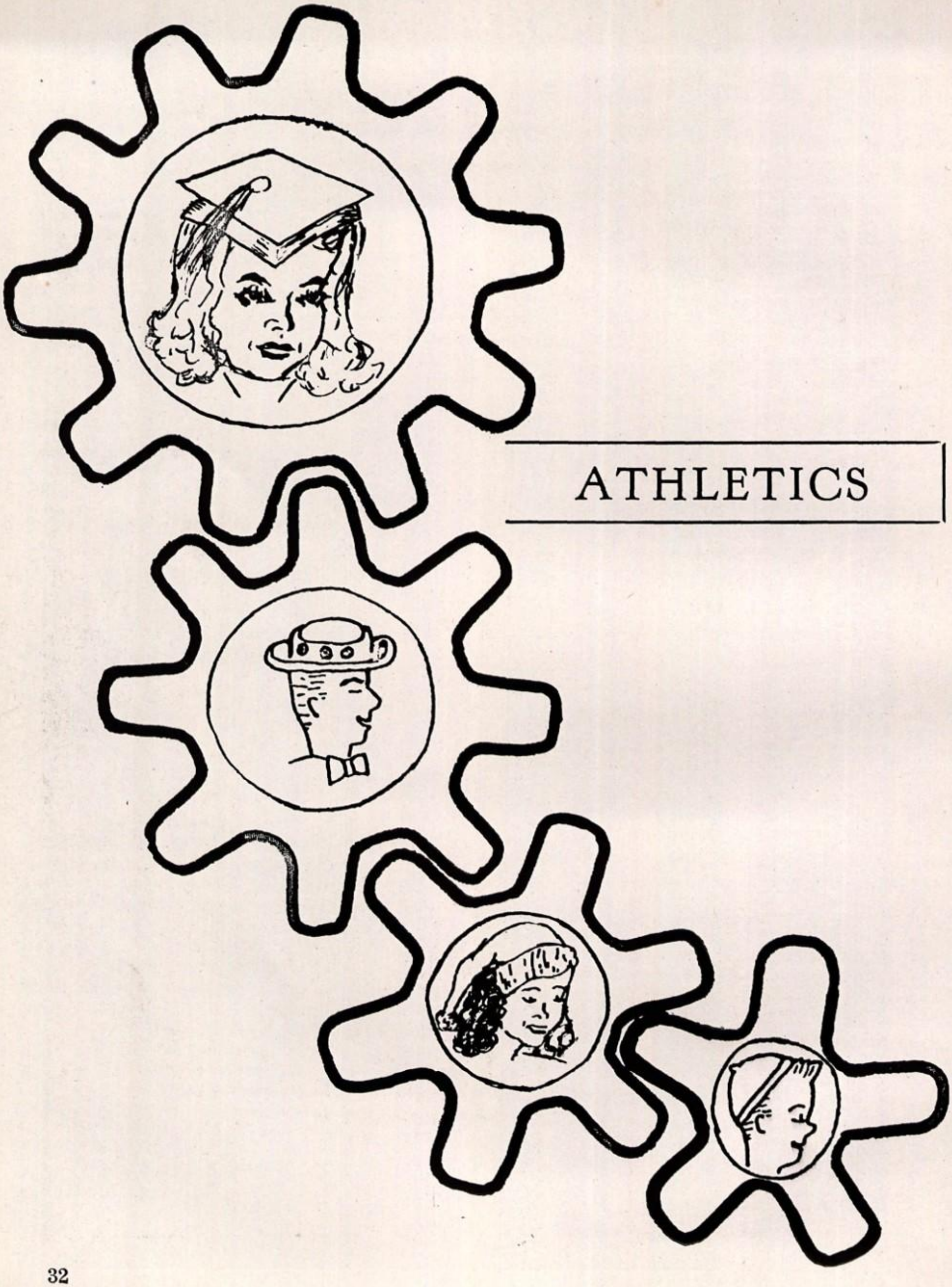


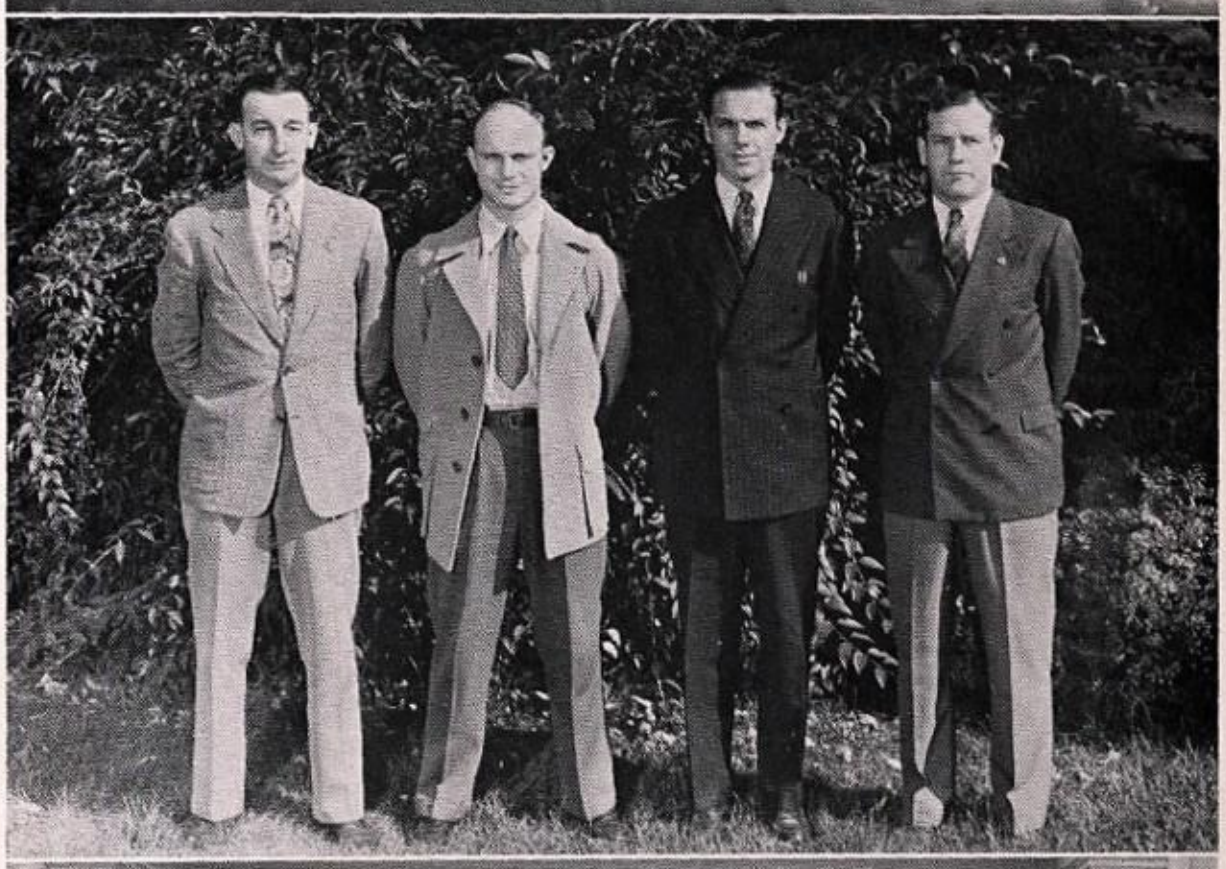
ATHLETICS

YELL LEADERS

Boosters, coaches, and teams owe much of their success to efficient yell leaders. The leaders for this season have been especially efficient, for they have been of both sexes. Two boys and two girls really worked together and have been major cogs in our school's unity.

COACHES

Although the cards show it is often on the little end of the score, Rushville is noted throughout the state for its outstanding basketball, football, and track teams. The reason behind these good records is the fine coaches that the school employs.



BOOSTER CLUB

The Booster Club, which was set up in 1943 by Principal Sellars, tends to develop clean sportsmanship in all athletics. It also is an effort to create more pep and enthusiasm at the sports events sponsored by R. H. S.

The members of the organization are chosen from each class; the members of the class elect two from their group. This committee, along with the yell leaders, and the club sponsors plan and carry out all pep sessions.

FOOTBALL

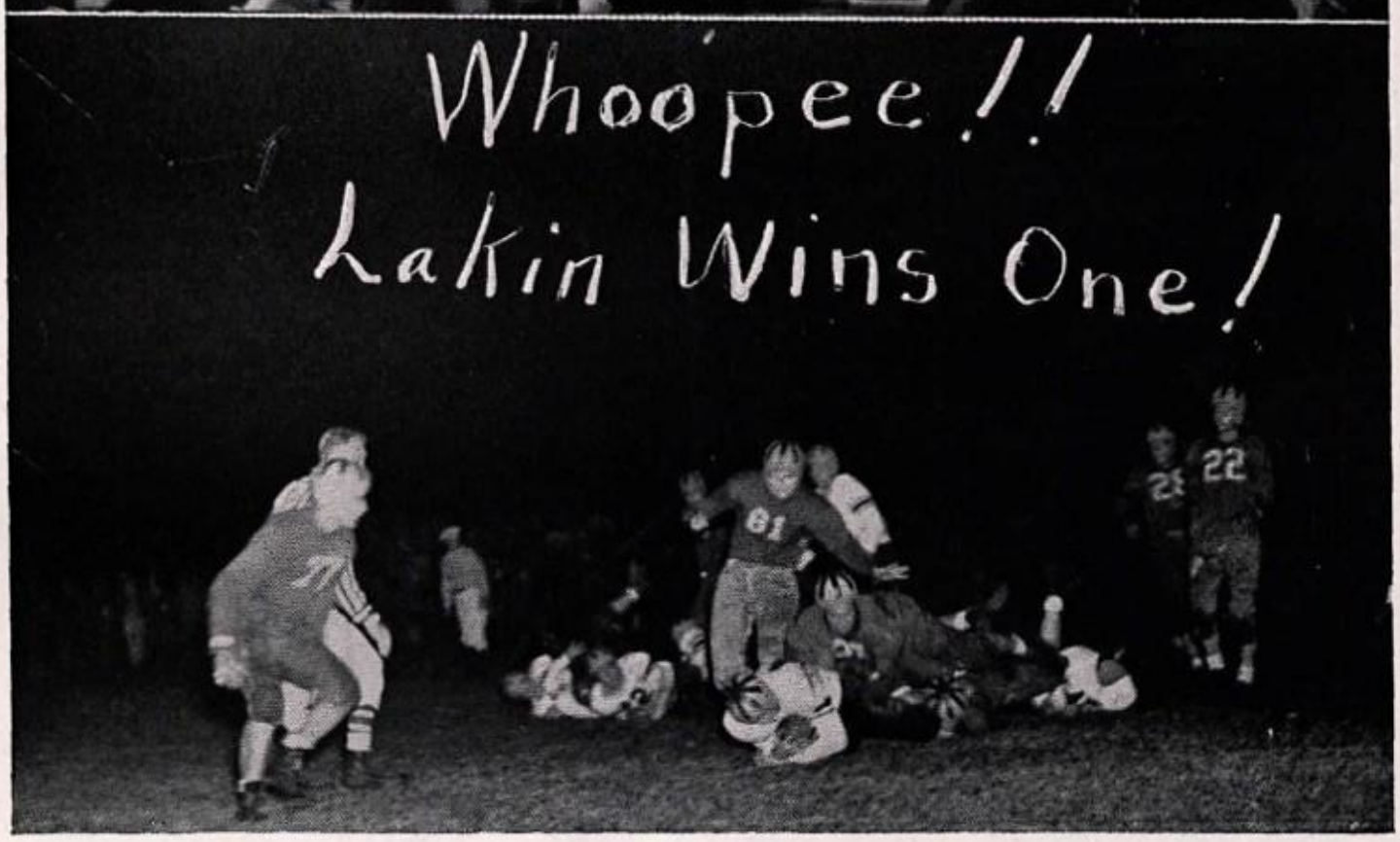
Rushville's football team suffered another lean season this year, but the boys won the respect of all by showing that they had drive and determination. Lou Ed Gohring, serving his first year as head football coach, put the Lions through training that compensated for small size. There are several varsity men back for next year, and with Gohring's fine coaching, Rushville's prospects look brighter for another year.

V. Coons, P. Yazel, N. Hauk, E. Reed, B. Marine, D. Curtis, D. Smith, A. Dusing, J. Ruhlman.

J. Beard, J. Lakin, B. Pearsey, D. Marsh, R. Sharpe, J. Benning, L. Heeb, B. Pea, C. Ray, J. Wagner, B. Jordan.

Mr. Stevenson, B. Matlock, P. Cranford, B. Hogsett, N. Cox, B. Nyssen, Mr. Gohring, F. McCarty, L. Parker, B. Griffin, D. Miller, B. Jaggers, J. Kelly, G. C. Alexander.

D. Byrne, B. Orme, R. Conners, B. Jones, J. Cruse, M. Smiley, P. Carey, T. Larsen, F. Helme, J. Benedict, D. Moster, J. Miller, D. Matlock.



RUSHVILLE HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sept. 5, 1947	Rushville	18	Boy's School	12	Here
*Sept. 12, 1947	Rushville	6	Connersville	6	Away
*Sept. 19, 1947	Rushville	0	Franklin	54	Away
Sept. 26, 1947	Rushville	27	New Castle	13	Here
*Oct. 3, 1947	Rushville	6	Seymour	0	Away
Oct. 10, 1947	Rushville	0	Lawrenceburg	45	Here
*Oct. 17, 1947	Rushville	0	Shelbyville	31	Away
Oct. 21, 1947	Rushville	0	Columbus	19	Here

*Denotes Conference Games

VARSITY BASKETBALL

RUSHVILLE HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Nov. 14	Rushville	42	Morristown	46	Here
Nov. 21	Rushville	33	Batesville	34	Away
Nov. 26	Rushville	33	Richmond	61	Here
*Nov. 28	Rushville	46	Greensburg	39	Here
Dec. 3	Rushville	47	Greenfield	52	Away
*Dec. 5	Rushville	48	Martinsville	46	Here
*Dec. 12	Rushville	28	Connersville	39	Away
Dec. 19	Rushville	46	New Castle	44	Away
Dec. 26	Rushville	43	Liberty	44	Here
Jan. 1	New Year's Tourney at Greensburg won by Rushville				
*Jan. 3	Rushville	43	Greencastle	48	Here
*Jan. 9	Rushville	31	Seymour	40	Away
*Jan. 16	Rushville	36	Shelbyville	48	Away
*Jan. 23	Rushville	30	Connersville	25	Here
*Jan. 30	Rushville	38	Columbus	55	Away
Feb. 4	Rushville	57	Lawrenceburg	67	Here
*Feb. 6	Rushville	35	Franklin	41	Here
Feb. 13	Rushville	38	Tech	44	Here
*Feb. 20	Rushville	38	Greensburg	39	Away

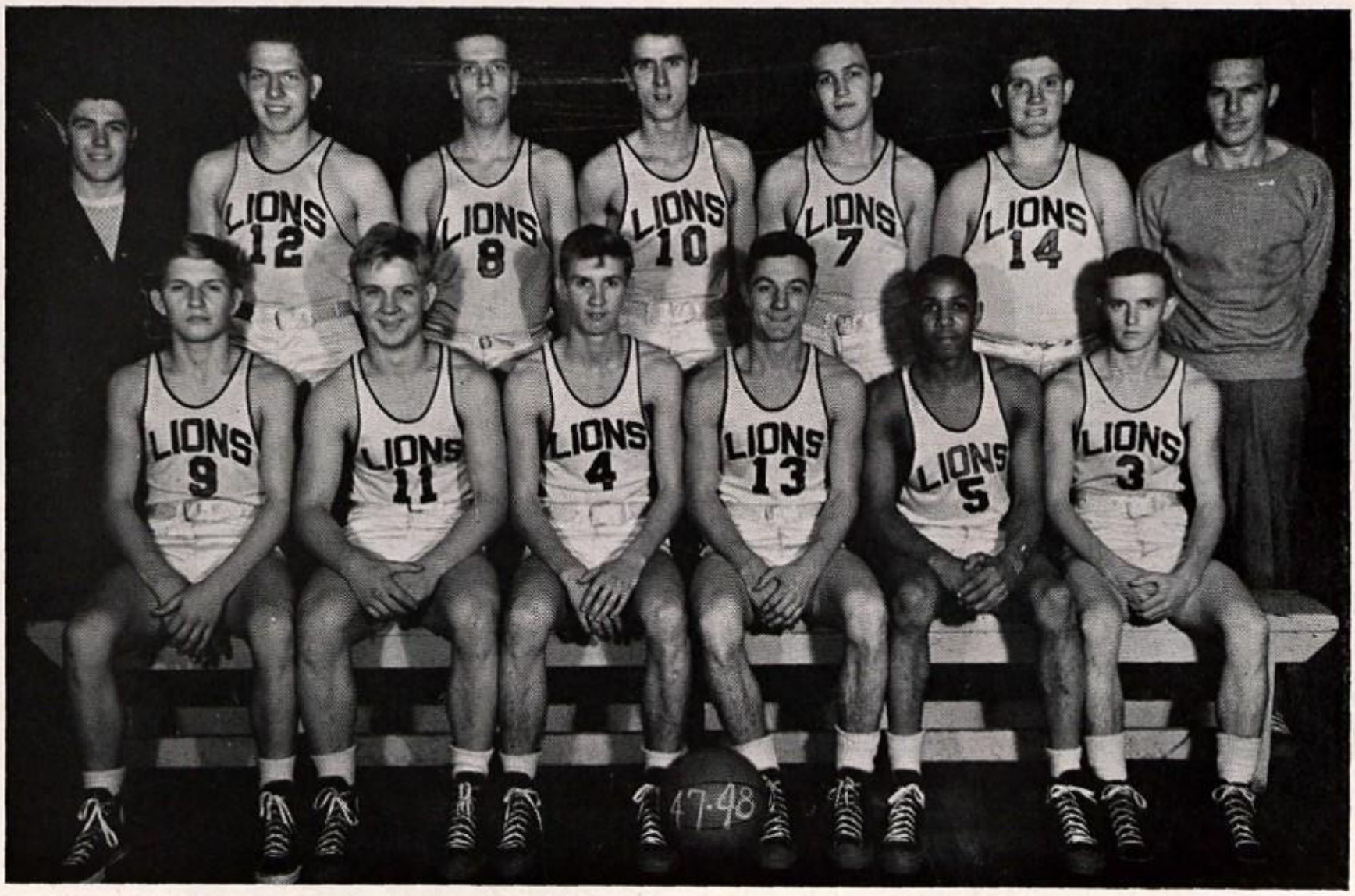
SECTIONAL

Feb. 27	Rushville	32	Carthage	23
Feb. 28	Rushville	43	Morton	33
	Rushville	35	Arlington	28

*Denotes Conference Games

P. Cranford, N. Cox, L. Heeb, P. Yazel, G. Scott, L. Ponsler.

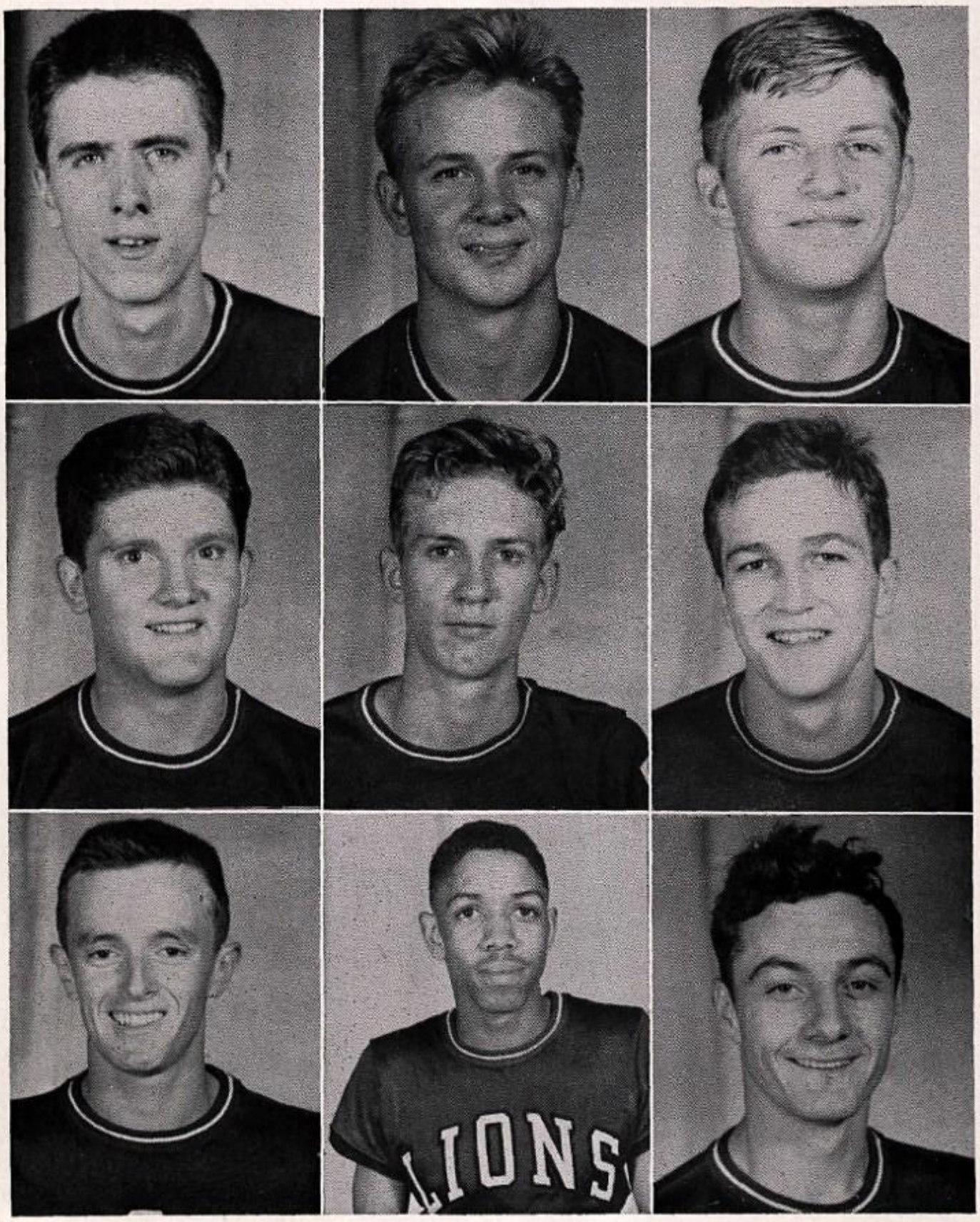
B. Marine (student manager), A. Dusing, D. Price, J. Clarkson, J. Lakin, R. Curtis, Coach Gridley.



SECTIONAL CHAMPS

The Rushville Lions, under the coaching of Jim Gridley, started the season with more losses than wins. As the season progressed, the Lions kept their eye on the conference championship. After winning the New Year's Tourney in good form, the Lions proved to their fans that they could give anybody a good game. Jim Gridley, serving his fourth year as head basketball coach, had veterans Jean Scott, Jack Lakin, and Leo Ponsler on whom to build his team.

Other boys—Nyssen, Curtis, Dusing, McCarty, Heeb, Cranford, Cox, Clarkson, and Yazel—proved to have the stuff it takes to play ball, and by sectional tourney time were good enough to win their laurels by defeating Arlington in the final game. As this book goes to press, the whole town is agog with excitement as Jim Gridley grooms the Sectional champions for a tough struggle in the Regional on March 6.



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P. Cranford

D. Curtis
L. Heeb
J. Lakin

L. Ponsler
J. Scott
P. Yazel

CUBS BASKETBALL

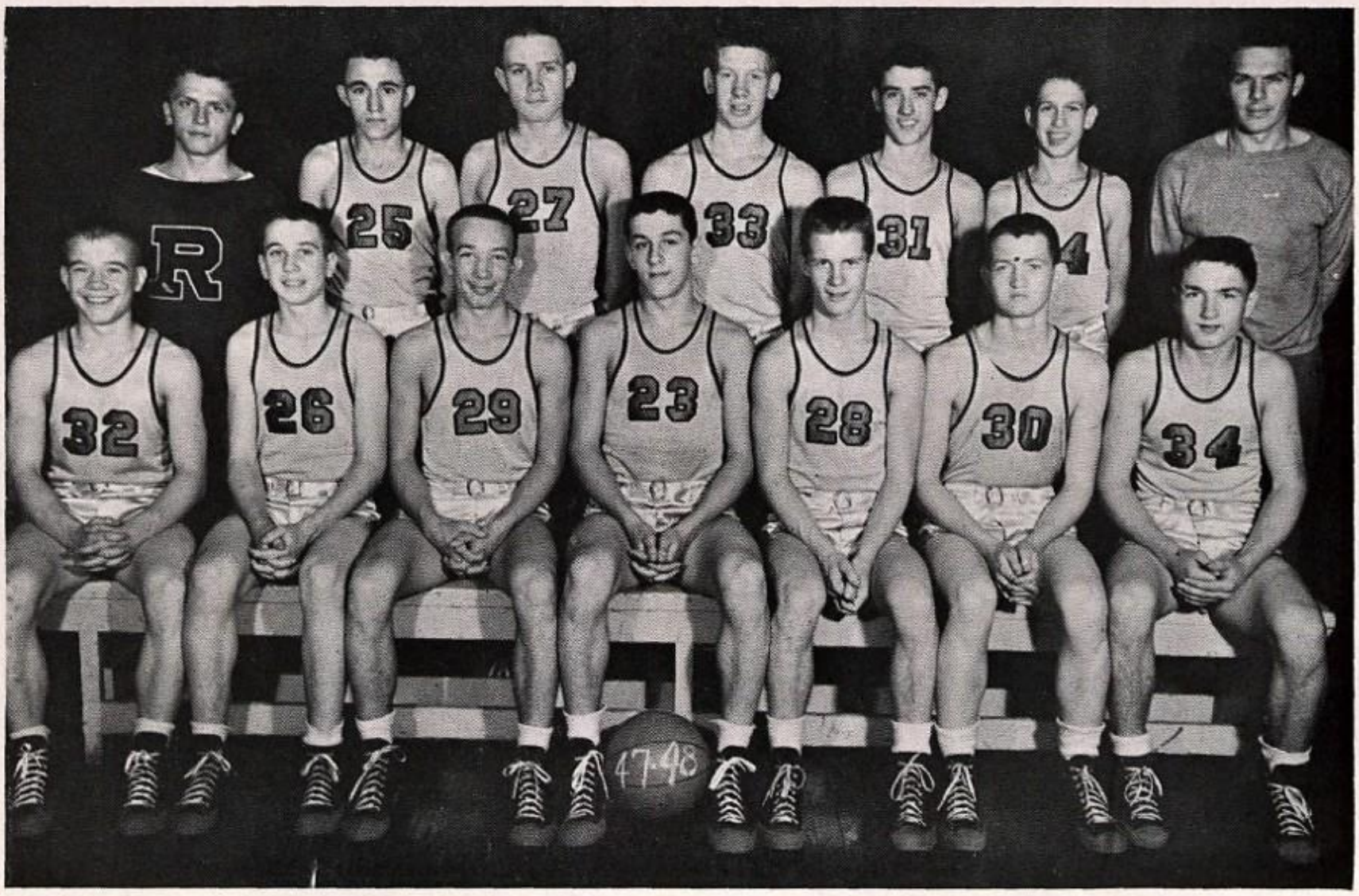
		Opp.	We	
Nov. 14	Morristown	22	32	Here
Nov. 21	Batesville	24	22	Away
Nov. 26	Richmond	18	19	Here
Nov. 28	Greensburg	17	31	Here
Dec. 3	Greenfield	40	41	Away
Dec. 5	Martinsville	30	22	Here
Dec. 12	Connersville	19	32	Away
Dec. 19	New Castle	37	17	Away
Dec. 26	Liberty	19	39	Here
Jan. 3	Greencastle	19	39	Here
Jan. 9	Seymour	32	22	Away
Jan. 10	B Team Tourney held at Connersville			
Jan. 23	Connersville	25	24	Here
Jan. 30	Columbus	29	24	Away
Feb. 4	Lawrenceburg	23	43	Here
Feb. 6	Franklin	25	32	Here
Feb. 13	Tech. (Indianapolis)	29	21	Here
Feb. 20	Greensburg	34	40	Away

The Cubs, under the fine coaching of Jim Gridley and Lou Ed Gohring, had a tough schedule but came out on top with ten wins and only eight losses. They lost to Connersville in the B team tourney but defeated Greensburg in the consolation game. Shelbyville defeated Connersville in the finals to win the tourney.

Bob Nyssen was moved up with the varsity squad at the end of the year; in fact, he was advanced in time for the tourneys.

1st Row: N. Hauk, D. Byrne, B. Pea, B. Nyssen, D. Miller, F. McCarty, D. Clark.

2nd Row: G. C. Alexander (student manager), K. Self, D. Dyar, J. Beard, J. Kelly, K. Waits, Coach Gridley.



D. Miller, L. Heeb, P. Cranford, J. Kelly, J. Benning, J. Beard, B. Griffin, L. Parker.

P. Yazel, J. Beard, D. Washmuth, D. Creek, D. David, T. Titsworth, B. Paugh, B. Pearsey, N. Cox.

B. Dunn, M. McCarty, J. Lakin, R. Ruby, J. Clarkson, E. Reed.

TRACK SCHEDULE

April 2, 1947	Spiceland	33
	Greenfield	7
	Rushville	77
April 18, 1947	Shelbyville	46
	Rushville	63
April 21, 1947	Connersville	30
	Rushville	81
April 23, 1947	Greensburg	14
	Morristown	19
	Rushville	89
April 26, 1947	Muncie Relays	Rushville placed fifth
May 3, 1947	Kokomo Relays	Rushville placed third in the B. Division
May 7, 1947	Franklin	39
	Rushville	69
May 10, 1947	Conference	Rushville placed second
May 16, 1947	Sectional	Rushville placed second
May 24, 1947	State Track Meet	Rushville participated

Louis Darst came back from the service to coach the track team through a fine cinder season. Lou Ed Gohring did an excellent job with the field men. Joe Beard and Bill Paugh broke several records during the season. Beard, Paugh, and Lakin showed well in the State Track meet, but were not quite good enough to win.

"R" CLUB

The "R" Club is an organization that can be joined by those students who have won a letter either in basketball, football, or track and who maintain a scholastic average of eighty or more.

The preamble of the constitution of that athletic organization best shows the purpose of the "R" Club. The preamble is as follows:

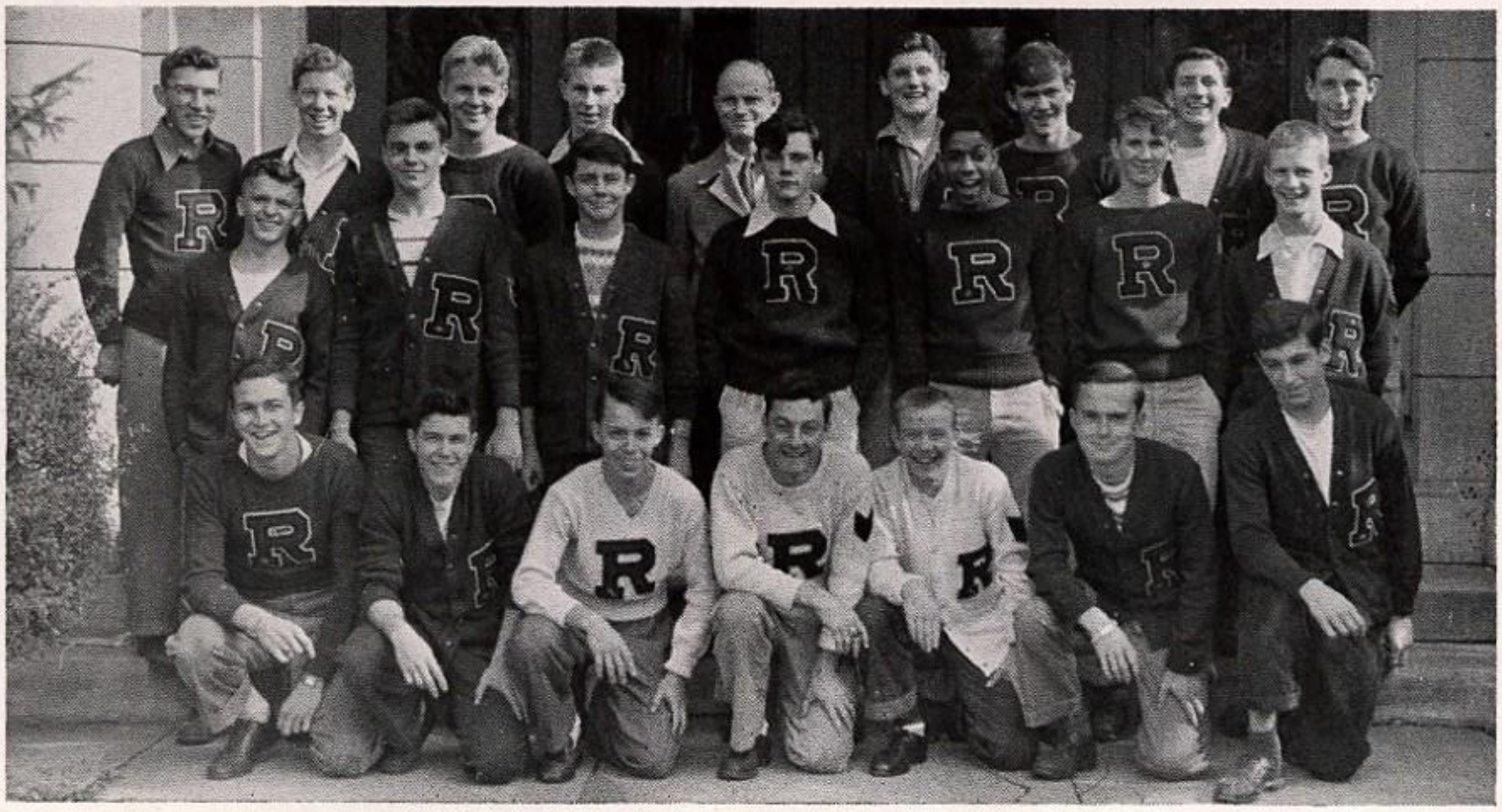
> This organization is established in order to create and maintain a high regard for the athletic awards of the school, to put a premium on scholarship and clean sportsmanship, to make possible united effort by recipients of athletic honors in the interests of athletics, and to develop and enrich the friendships and fellowship which is the rightful heritage of team-mates.

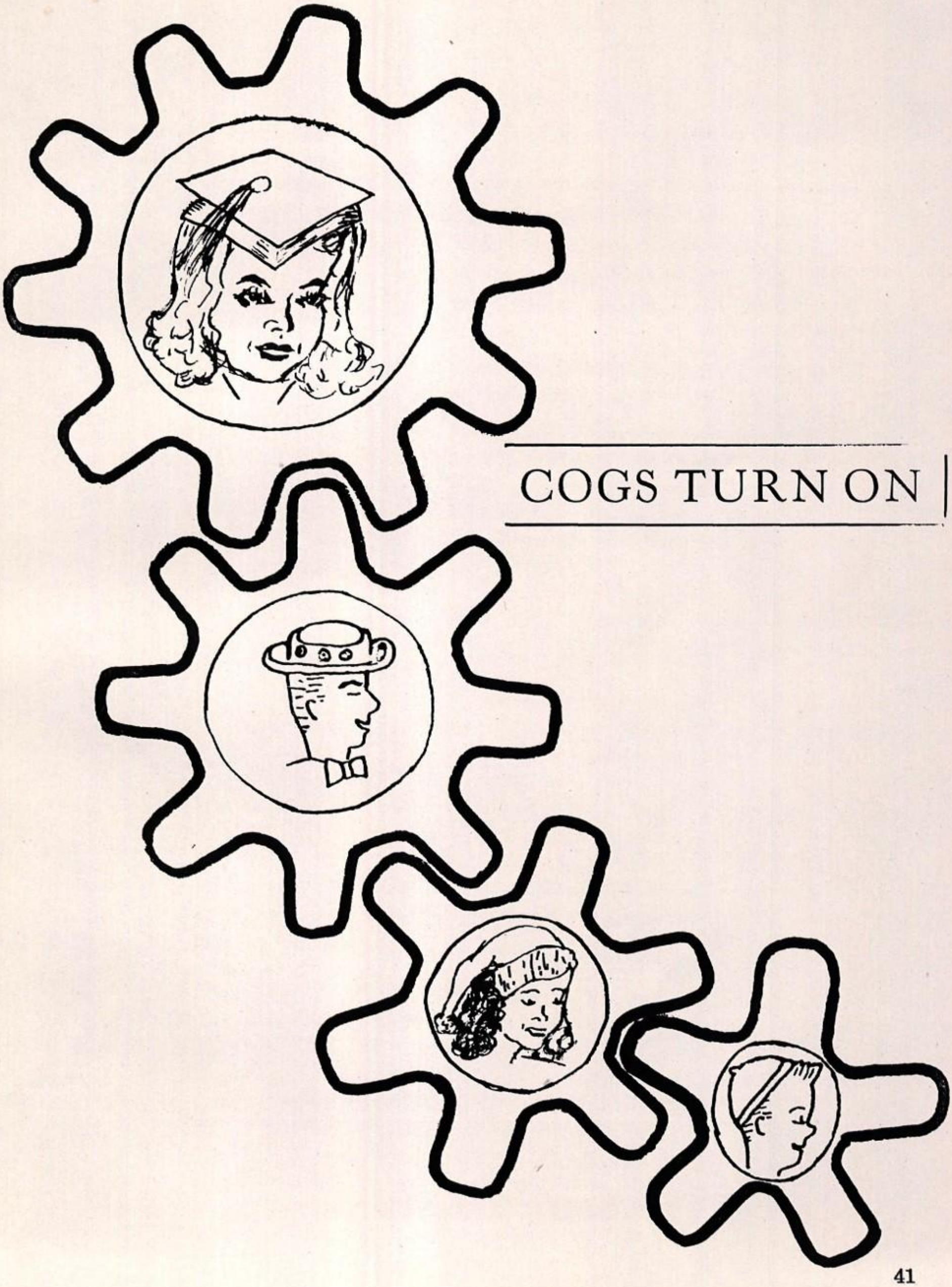
The "R" Club is sponsored by Mr. Gohring and Mr. Gridley; it is led by the following officers: Jack Lakin, president; Mac McCarty, vice-president; and Bill Hogsett, secretary-treasurer; D. Curtis, sergeant at arms.

J. Lakin, B. Marine, B. Jordan, P. Yazel, N. Hauk, B. Hogsett, B. Nyssen.

G. C. Alexander, D. Marsh, B. Pearsey, J. Ruhlman, J. Scott, L. Heeb, D. Miller.

D. Smith, J. Beard, N. Cox, D. Neal, Mr. Gohring, R. Curtis, E. Reed, M. McCarty, J. Benning.





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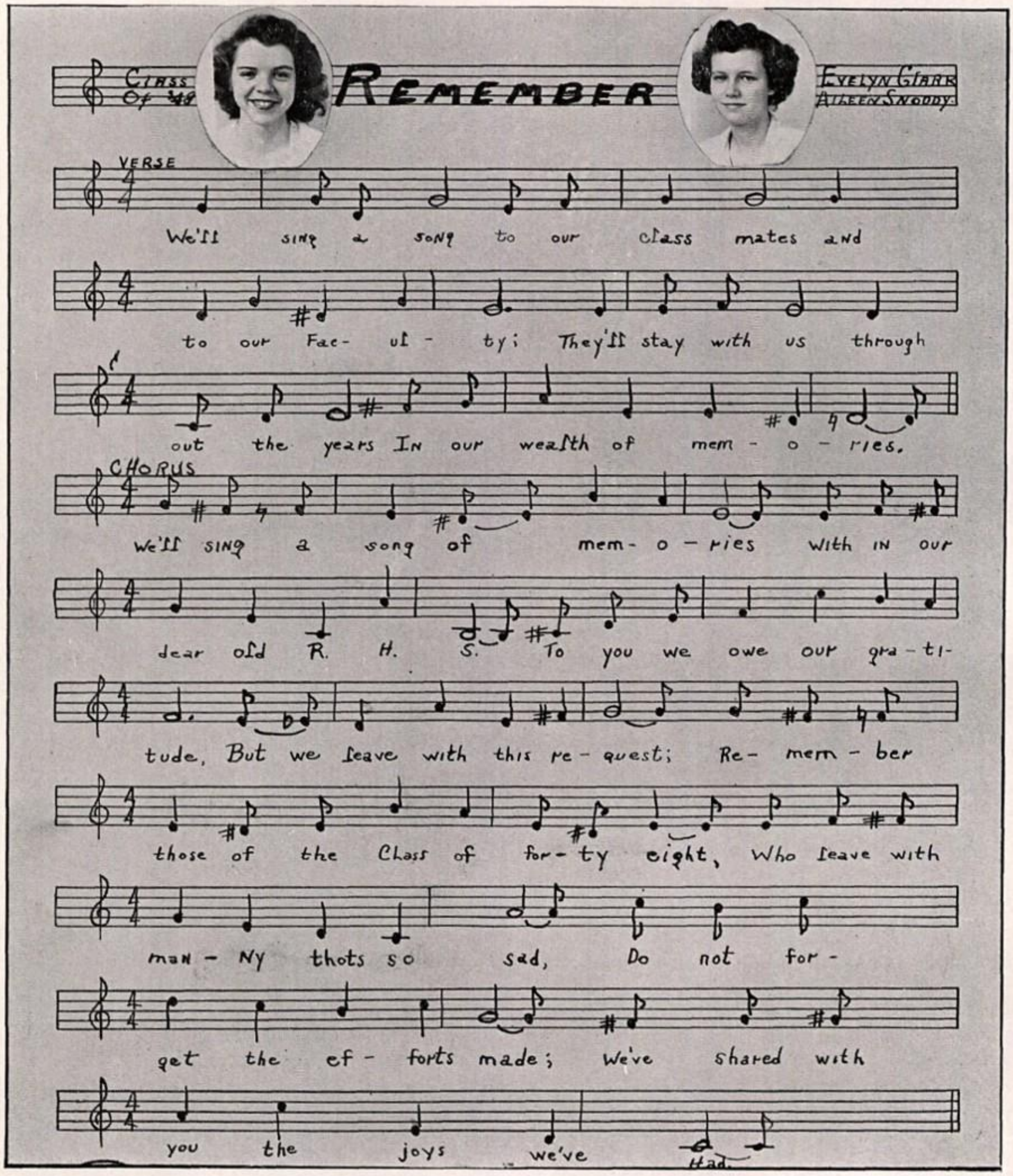

Class Of '48
REMEMBER
Evelyn Clark
Aileen Snoddy
VERSE
We'll sing a song to our class mates and
to our Fac- ul - ty; They'll stay with us through
out the years In our wealth of mem - o - ries.
CHORUS
We'll sing a song of mem- o - ries with in our
dear old R. H. S. To you we owe our gra - ti-
tude, But we leave with this re - quest; Re- mem - ber
those of the Class of for- ty eight, Who leave with
man - Ny thots so sad, Do not for -
get the ef - forts made; We've shared with
you the joys we've Had.

PROPHECY

As we walked up the crowded steps of the broadcasting station, on this 23rd day of May, 1958, our conversation was shattered by the brassy discords of Art Gum and his Rubber Band playing "Eraseable You." The swirl of skirts, shuffle of feet ,and constant chatter left us spellbound. Our minds were so engrossed in the surroundings, we didn't see the tall, dark figure standing beside us. We were shocked back to reality when we heard our names spoken. It was the usher asking for our tickets. To our great amazement, a second glance proved him to be our old school chum, Bill Dunn. He showed us to our seats while we poured many questions at him. He didn't have time to answer us, however, for the music had ceased, and the show was ready to begin. The house lights dimmed, the curtain rose, and who should be standing at the microphone but William Maze. A hush came over the audience as he spoke, "And now the makers of Lumpo Soap and Mall Pall cigars, bring you Dr. Q. I., but first a word from our sponsor, 'Ladies remember Lumpo Soap — It doesn't lather, it doesn't foam; it's just company in the bath tub; and Gentlemen remember Mall Pall cigarettes, not a hack in a pack, but three will kill you. Both products are sold at all hardware stores.' And now that congenial man with the answers, Dr. Q. I."

Applause rang out from all corners of the room as an immaculately dressed man stepped out of the wings. Why, it was Louis Heeb! Even from the seventeenth row, we couldn't miss that big dimple in his chin.

After greeting the audience, he asked his helpers to pick contestants in couples for the quiz. The five men started down the aisle; and before we knew it, we were standing with the other contestants upon the stage, our knees knocking together in perfect harmony. The grand prize for the night's show was a round the world trip in a chartered airliner. This was it, the chance of a lifetime! Everything happened so fast in those next few minutes, we still can't figure it out. Before we knew it, we had won the contest and many good wishes from the audience. There were so many last minute preparations that we didn't have time to stop to wonder if it all wasn't a fantastic dream.

At nine o'clock the next morning, we were at the airport ready to board our chartered plane. Our pilot arrived on time, and we knew at once we would be in safe hands for he was the world famous sky chief, Jack Pickett, known universally for his sight seeing tours. Jack told us he had been to Rushville recently and had seen some of our classmates of '48. He informed us that Jr. Booth and David Moran were partners in the newly discovered hybrid mushroom fields. Jack also told us of another local boy making good. He said that David Singleton had worked himself up from the court house janitor to the sheriff and that Maurice Spilman had been assigned to David's former position. From Jack's report we also learned that Marthena Grinstead can be found on a small farm just outside of Rushville raising chickens and rearing children.

He interrupted his report to tell us to fasten our safety belts, for we were ready to make our first landing. We were in Miami, Florida, where we stayed for forty-eight hours. And what a time that was! First we were taken to the Ritz Plaza Hotel where our reservations had been made. Imagine our surprise at being greeted by the face of Donald Price, manager of that lovely hotel. Working with him was Leo Ponsler, head of the bellboys.

In the evening we dined at the Flamingo Club where Ducky Neal's famous Dreamy Drip Waltz Orchestra was appearing, featuring Phil VanOsdol and his singing trumpet and Barbara Poston, the renowned vocalist.

In the course of our dinner, we were joined by Norma Sorrell and Norma VanBibber, who were millionaire orange grove owners. They suggested we go for a little cruise on their private yacht. We wound around the twenty-two islands in Biscayne Bay where they pointed out the former home of Al Capone which was now owned by Marjorie Riebsomer. Martha Thorpe was employed as her private secretary.

The next day we went to the Hileah Race Track where Beverly Bair had two horses entered. One of her jockeys was Bob Wainwright.

Our forty-eight hours were gone too soon, but we had to leave. We hurried from the race track to board our plane for the next hop of the journey. Our former hostess was replaced by Mary Cook.

Our next stop was Cuba, where we met Jack Lakin, owner of one of the largest sugar plantations in the world. His wife, the former Miss Mary Benning, had her hands quite full keeping the little Lakins out of trouble. Next we saw Jack Barlow busy weaving Panama hats which he was selling at rock bottom prices. It seems he was having some stiff competition from Eula Gosser, who was selling them on the other side of the street.

Our next stop was Paris, France, where we saw Rebecca Gibbs and Donna Denton, famous models in a French Salon. Their elaborate costumes were designed by that nationally known designer Lois Kennedy. We then visited the French Ambassador whose wife was the former Bonnie Cauble. Bonnie certainly fooled us. We thought she would have been a little "sterner" in her choice of a husband, but it appears that others were stern too.

Leaving gay Paree, we next visited Belgium. There we visited the Neutral Cemetery and shrine. We met Janice Jones who was chief sergeant over the national guard. She informed us June Browning lived with her husband in a small village near by. We also saw Janiece Malson who was a teacher in the university there.

We turned next to Prague, the capitol of Czechoslovakia. There we saw Robert Griffin who is the chief surgeon at their greatest hospital. We were also surprised to find Virginia Hileman as his head nurse.

Our journey took us next to Athens, Greece, where the Olympic games were being held. We learned Jean Scott and Charles Sizemore were competing, and we hastened to the field; while we were seated waiting for the race to begin, who should come down the aisle but Edith Kennedy, accompanied by Wyoma Fanter. They were governesses traveling as companions to wealthy maiden ladies, Madden and Ball, who had retired from teaching. The next day we spent in Nanking, China, where we had the good luck of seeing Helen Hinshaw, who is certainly making good with her juggling act. Among her troupe we found Imogene Evans and Kathleen Stark. Next we went to Japan, and whom did we see but Pat Sharpe who operates a fleet of rickshaws about the city.

One whole day was spent in Egypt, where we saw Lowell Mathews, who heads the list of guards to show tourists around. In Egypt, we also met John Taylor who was an unexcelled engineer. Next we saw, Jane Urbach who has certainly made good in her music school

in Berne, Switzerland. Among her students was the millionaire playboy, Lowell Rose, who made his fortune as a pitcher for the All-American ball team, the Gas House Gamblers.

We visited Zion, the famous hill in Jerusalem, and found Jeanine Pearsey working in the mission there. Evelyn Clark played the zither for the church. From Jerusalem in South Africa we saw David Durbin. He operates a snake pit where he extracts venom for use in medicine.

Next we landed in Brisbane where we met John Ketchum, a famous bee keeper. He took us to a neighboring city where we visited Joanne Bradley and her magician troupe of midgets, the only troupe of the kind in the world.

Our visit with Joanne terminated our visit overseas. We were to return across the blue Pacific. We landed in Southern California; and there we met John McMahan, district superintendent of the Y. M. C. A. of southern California. We then took a trip through Universal Studios where Dwayne Smith and Aileen Snoddy were starring in their latest pictures, "The Tennessee Boone County Ramblers."

That night we dined at the Brown Derby and saw Joan Ruby and her brother Richard Ruby, the founders of the A. M. E. Ammonia Chemical plant there. They had as their house guest Viola Whipple, private secretary to the Mayor of New York. Nancy Campbell was giving a concert that evening in an open amphitheatre. While enjoying the concert, we noticed Jim Hendrix, the world famous critic, and his wife, the former Wanda Perkins. Both were taking hurried notes on Miss Campbell's concert, for they are now co-editors of the magazine, Etude.

Our next stop was in Western Montana where Betty Fisher owned and operated several copper mines. We also visited the X Bar Dude ranch operated by Jo Ellen Byrne. We left early, for Jo Ellen was riding in a rodeo the next day; and we felt she needed her rest.

Going back to the airport, we learned our plane was grounded for two hours until the fog lifted. Naturally we could not waste two good hours; so we nosed around in the terminal. Imagine our surprise at meeting Warren Mauzy who is the weather observer there.

In St. Louis we learned that Joy Read is the manager of the great emporium. We stopped long enough to buy a new book, Wisdom Teeth and How to Pull Them, by Donna Rayborn.

Back once more at our starting place we found the New York World Fair in full swing. The first thing that caught our eye was Duffy's Freak Show. Francis seemed to be doing well from the size of the crowd that was gathered. No wonder, he learned the managerial art in good old R. H. S.!

Next we saw a group of hula hula girls in grass skirts headed by Joan Alexander. She was not only manager but also actor number one. They also had quite a crowd gathered. As we were walking around the grounds, we saw Pat Dyar. We stopped to talk, and she told us not to miss the horse show. The world famous bareback riders, Marjorie and Maxine McAlister, were to do their daring stunts.

Before going to see the show we decided to eat. There before us was a bright neon sign flashing on and off. It read "Mac McCarty Mule Meat Meals for Munching." We decided we were stubborn enough without adding extra mule; so we concluded to see the horse show muleless. After the very thrilling show, it was time to leave. We hailed a taxi, stumbled in, and gave the driver our address. Weary in body but glad in heart, we thought how very fortunate we were to be able to see so many of our friends from good old school days once more.

THE TWIG HAS BEEN BENT

Today, after four years of work, fun, and play, we look back over our high school years to realize that all of our time has not been spent in just enjoying life. In fact, if we concentrate a little, we discover quite a few accomplishments in our four years of advancing from a tiny cog to a tenon of major proportion. This history is a brief resume of our major activities.

In the fall of 1944, we entered Rushville High School as freshmen for the avowed purpose of furthering our education. During this year Aileen Snoddy, Marthena Grinstead, Nancy Campbell, Evelyn Clark, and Donald Neal were given music awards for State Solo and Ensemble contest. There were numerous victories recorded as the wheel of fortune rolled off our first year, and we found ourselves proud of our accomplishments.

The summer of '45 took its usual toll; and we returned with ninety-three members in our sophomore class; but that group held presidents, other officials, and leaders galore.

Jo Ellen Byrne was elected Language Club president. Aileen Snoddy, Evelyn Clark, Nancy Campbell, Marthena Grinstead, and Donald Neal again received music awards. Barbara Poston and Pat Sharpe were newcomers to the music fields of honor.

Athletics could not be ignored. Jack Lakin and Jean Scott were the outstanding athletes of the year and received "R" sweaters.

Organized progress slowed for vacation, but the cogs turned us slowly into another year.

In the fall of 1946 we again returned to ranks with a much depleted class; there were only seventy-five left. During the year Donald Price came to join us from Tech of Indianapolis.

Louis Heeb, Leo Ponsler, Martha Thorpe, and Donald Neal were elected president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer respectively. Miss Lois Lichtsinn and Miss Thelma Feeler were our sponsors.

Jo Ellen Byrne was assistant editor of the Rushlite and David Singleton and David Durbin were assistant editors of the Holcad.

The highlight of our junior year was the annual junior-senior reception. Hobo Day, time set aside for juniors to earn money for the reception, is traditional; and September 23, 1948, was the day the juniors displayed their various talents. The reception was held May 16, 1947, at the Elks. The theme for the reception was Dutch.

School activities terminated for another year, and juniors suddenly realized that they were no longer the would-bes but were seniors to return in the fall of 1947 to make their final appearance in the halls of R. H. S.

Phil VanOsdol, Lowell Rose, Joanne Bradley, and Aileen Snoddy were elected president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer respectively. Miss Florence Madden was our sponsor. Money for the project was obtained through stationery sales, class dues, senior class play, and, of course, Holcad sales.

Jo Ellen Byrne and David Singleton were editors in chief of the Rushlite and Holcad respectively.

Betty Fisher placed first in Rotary Speech contest.

May 19 was the annual senior day at which time honors and awards were presented.

May 26 the commencement exercises were held; thus terminated the high school career of the class of '48.

CALENDAR

September

3 School commenced for another year.
5 Lions won a victory over Boys' School in football, 18-12.
12 Lions and Connersville Spartans played a tie game 6-6.
19 Franklin smothered the Lions in football 54-0.
23 Girl Reserves had initiation for new girls.
30 "R" club had its first meeting.

October

3 Lions won a victory over Seymour 6-0.
8 Mr. Mitchell showed students his collection of fascinating old drums.
10 Lions lost in football to Lawrenceburg 45-0.
13 "Arms And the Man" was presented by the "Barter Theater Players."
15 Hi-Y-Girl Reserve conference at Connersville.
15 Rev. Alexander spoke for convocation.
16 Mrs. R. O. Kennedy gave Girl Reserves their first program of the year.
17 Shelbyville overtook Lions in quite a game 31-0.
20 Stenographers' Club had initiation for new girls.
21 Girl Reserves had a chili supper in the cafeteria.
21 The last football game of the season ended in a defeat to Columbus 19-0.
23-24 Pupils rest while teachers attend the Teachers' Association.
29 The first school party of the semester was fun for those who attended.
31 Seniors posed for Porter's photographer and had their pictures taken.

November

4 F. F. A. initiation.
5 Students enjoyed movie on charm and personality for convocation.
7 "Let's yell. Let the Lions know we are going to be proud of them all season," was the plea from students who tried out for yell leadership.
14 Morristown beat the Lions in their first game of the season by a score of 46-42.
17 Kryl Orchestra was sponsored by the music department at Memorial Gym.
19 Juniors presented skit for convocation which was very clever.
20 Library gave a tea for faculty.
21 Lions lost opening basketball game by a score of 34-33.
26 Richmond's Red Devils defeated the Lions by a score of 61-33.
28 Lions overtook Greensburg by a score of 46-39.

December

3 Lions lost to Greenfield in a close game by a score of 52-47.
5 Martinsville was the victim of the Lions 48-46.
9 Stenographers had a Christmas party.
12 Lions lost a good game to Connersville 39-28.
16 Hi-Y and Girl Reserves showed good times to underprivileged children.
16 Language club entertained members with a Christmas party.
17 The second school party of the semester was quite a success.
19 Christmas program was a yuletide song fest.
19 School dismissed for Christmas vacation.
19 Lions played a good game but lost to New Castle by a score of 46-44.
26 Liberty defeated Lions by one point 44-43.

January

1 Rushville won the New Year's tourney. Greensburg was host.
3 Lions were outplayed by Greencastle here in a close game; 48-43.
5 School reconvenes.
9 Lions traveled all the way to Seymour and were beaten 41-30.
15 Girl Reserves were told of Holland's customs by Miss Cornelia DeNeef.
16 Shelbyville defeated Lions in basketball 36 to 48.
17 Yell leaders' conference at Indiana University.
19-20-21 Semester ends and final exams almost finish the pupils.
23 Lions defeated Connersville, 30-25.
26 Second semester begins.
30 Lions played Columbus and lost 55-38.

February

2 Seniors were measured for caps and gowns.
2 Seniors selected invitations.
3 Holcad drive started.
4 Lions played Lawrenceburg here; lost 67-57.
6 Lions played a good game here with Franklin but lost.
7 District solo and ensemble contest at Muncie.
13 Tech defeated the Lions in our last home game by a score of 44-38.
20 Lions played their last game of the season with Greensburg and lost 39-38.
26-27-28 Sectional tourney.

March

6 Regional tourney.
13 Semi-final tourney.
17 Students were shown the art of glass blowing.
18 Some Girl Reserves modeled new spring clothes for program.
20 State tourney.
26-29 Easter vacation.

April

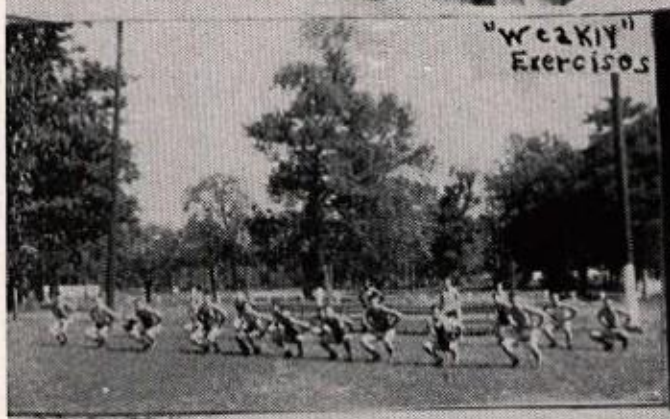
3 District band contest.
15 Mrs. Hogsett gives Girl Reserves a most interesting program.
16 Second six weeks ends.
13-14 Senior play.

May

1 State band contest.
12 Stenographers' Club farewell party for Senior girls.
15 Girl Reserve Senior breakfast.
19 Seniors have their day.
20 Girl Reserve program given by juniors.
21 Jr.-Sr. reception.
23 Baccalaureate.
26 Commencement.
28 School closes.

As Others See Us

Lone Wolves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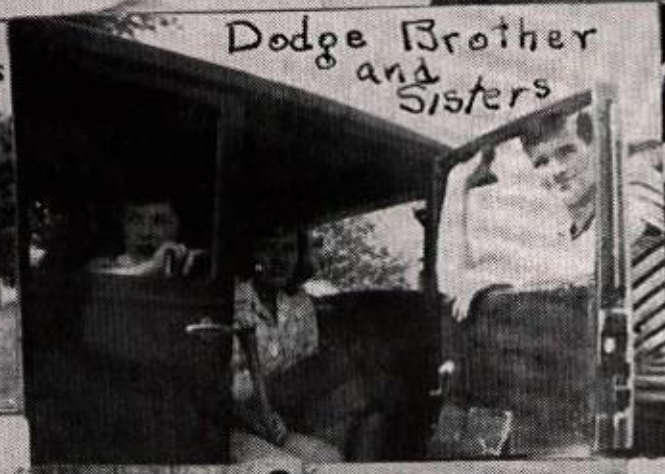
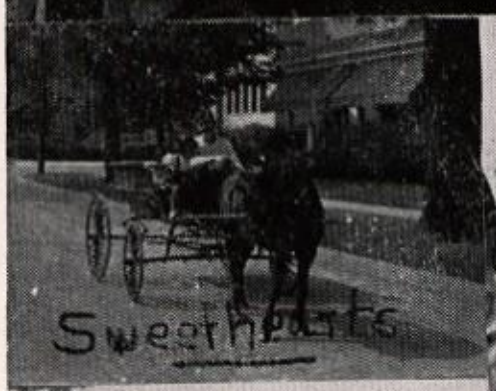

Dodge Brother and Sisters

Morning?

Sheiks

Ice Follies
'48 Version

Cogs of Industry


Sweethearts

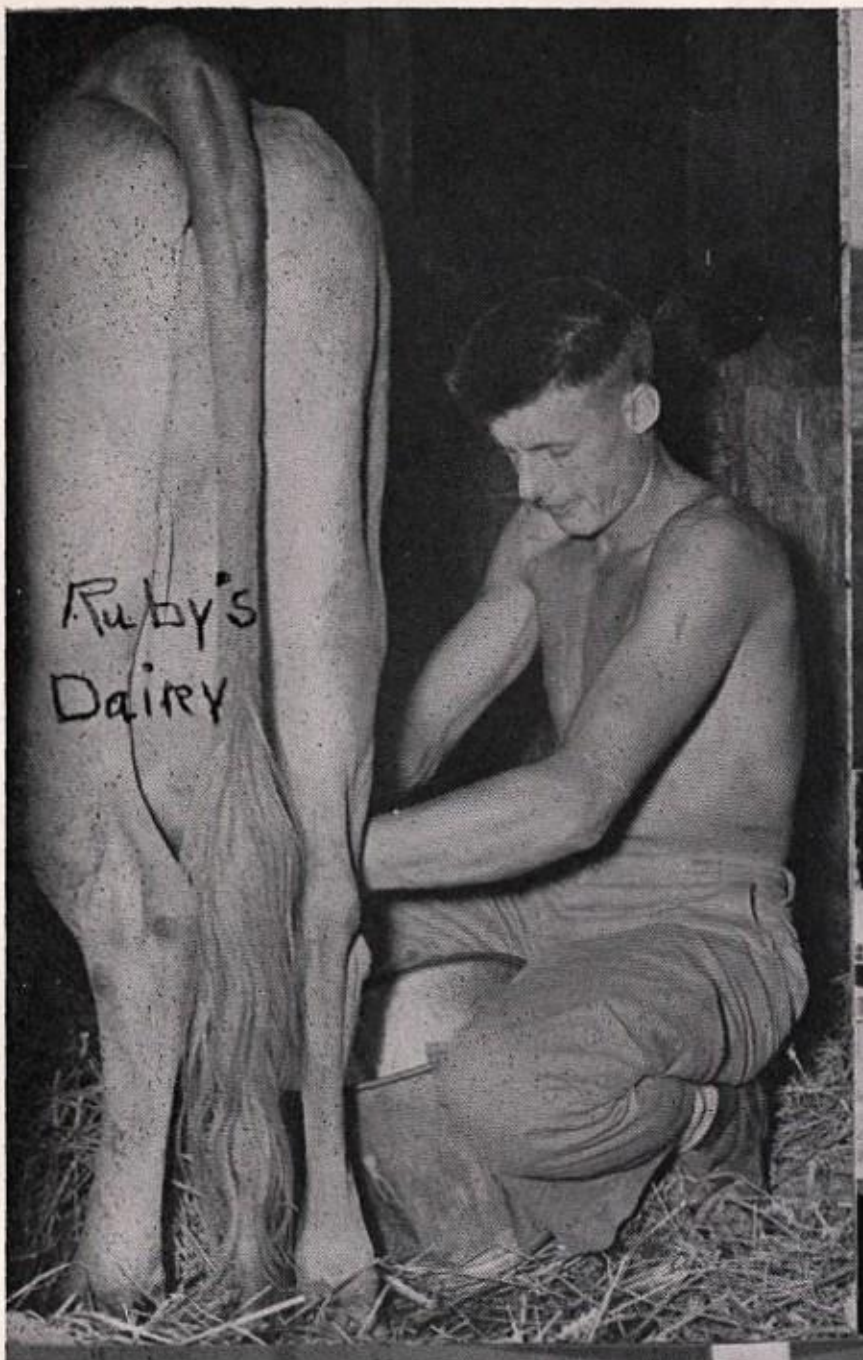
Margie and Jack
Just pals

Noon Rush

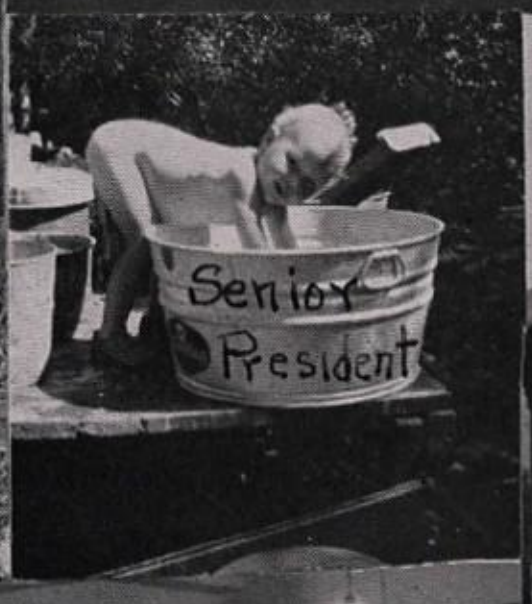
"They Also Serve"

Who Knows?

Orders From The Boss


Ruby's
Dairy

We are The
Bloomer Gals


Senior
President

Just Teachers

It
Pays to
advertise
those
Smiles

School Days

Principals'
Conference

Magnet

One Alone

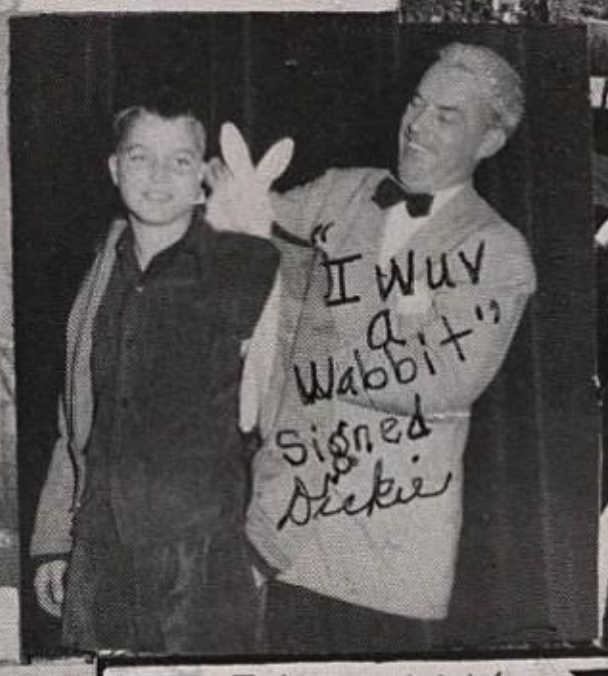
The School Serves the Community

Watch That Figger!

At Rest

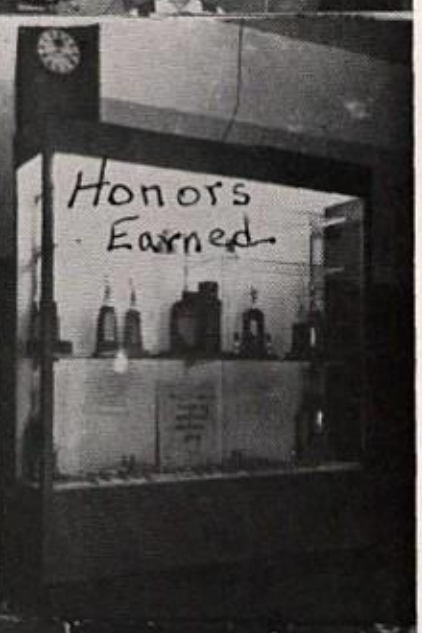
Tar-zan?

KinG of the tribe


"I Wuv a Wabbit" Signed Dickie

Hot Dog!
Mariet Johnny

"Grandma Is Cast Out"


Honors Earned

Big Chief Pat

Mortimer

The Outlaw
Outlaw
JANET TOWNE
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The Game Starts

Embryo Seniors

Ohhhh Dwayne!

Still Pals